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## DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of "J. A. T. Caton & Co.," has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time.

Mr. Carl Loewenberg, who will collect all assets and discharge all liabilities of the late firm, will continue the business on his own account, under the firm name of "Loewenberg & Co."

Victoria, B.C., 14th November, 1893.
J. A. T. CATON,
C. LOEWENBERG,
Witness—P. Æ. IRVING.

## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over Navigable Waters," chapter 92, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1886, that John Taylor, of Victoria, British Columbia, intends to apply to the Governor-General in Council, for his approval of certain works and improvements to be constructed, made and done by the said John Taylor in and about Rock Bay in the harbor of the said city of Victoria, B.C., and that in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, deposited plans of the proposed works and improvements and a description of the proposed site of the same, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and also with the Registrar-General of Titles at the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria in the said Province.

THORNTON FELL,
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### Anarchist Bomb Throwing.

Barcelona, Nov. 15.—By the explosion of a bomb, which occurred in the town of Villa Neuva last night, the gates of the barracks of the civic guard were blown off. The explosion caused great excitement, the walls of many buildings being cracked, doors blown off, and windows smashed.

### Moors and Spaniards.

Madrid, Nov. 15.—The shelling by the Spaniards of the Melilla camps and trenches occupied by Riffians continues without appreciable advantage, so far as can be seen from the citadel or the Spanish outposts. Fort San Lorenzo, Camellos, Rostrogordo, Cabecrizas, the Polygon and San Francisco are all taking part in the firing. The Riffians return the fire, but they keep at a safe distance from the Spanish lines. Casualties on the Spanish side have been very slight.

### A Fatal Tumble.

Woodstock, Nov. 15.—Joseph Murphy, of Montreal, who was sleeping in the hay loft of the Royal hotel stables, fell through an opening in the floor and was found dead.

# GROSS NEGLIGENCE

## Verdict of Coroner's Jury in Battle Creek Affair.

## CONDUCTOR SCOTT AND THE ENGINEER

## Guilty of Criminal Carelessness and Disobedience

### In Running Past the Point Where They Were Ordered to Stop—The Grand Trunk Railway Exonerated From All Blame—Scott Must Stand Trial For Murder.

Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 15.—After four hours' deliberation the coroner's jury rendered the following verdict in the Grand Trunk inquest this morning: "We find that said collision was caused by gross disobedience of orders given by the train dispatcher, and we also find Conductor Scott and Engineer Wolley, train No. 6, guilty of criminal negligence in running past the meeting point at which they had positive orders to stop." The Grand Trunk company is exonerated from all blame, the jury finding that the company had furnished first-class cars and all the latest improvements for safety. Conductor Scott will have his hearing to-day on the charge of murder in the first degree.

### Worse Than a Slave.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Julia Reynolds, of Winston, N. C., has written Gov. McKinley that her 15-year-old son, James A. Hall, is held in slavery on Tangier Island. He shipped on an oyster schooner from Norfolk. The lad's condition, according to a man who escaped from the island, is worse than that of any black slave before the war. The matter will be investigated.

### Another Washington Lie.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—The rumor that Miss Leiter is engaged to William C. Whitney, ex-secretary of the navy, is denied. "This rumor is absolutely untrue and utterly without foundation," said Joseph Leiter, the lady's brother. "There is no reason why such a rumor should have existence, and I suppose it is done by people in Washington who don't care how much they bother or disconcert others."

### Stead on Liquor Prohibition.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Editor W. T. Stead arrived here yesterday. Ontario is to vote on the question of total prohibition of the manufacture and sale of liquor in a few weeks. Mr. Stead was asked his opinion on the question. Mr. Stead said he did not think the traffic could be stopped. He was sure it could not be stopped in Chicago. He did not consider moderate drinking a sin; but drink was a frightfully dangerous thing, and his idea was that the distribution of liquor should be in the hands of churches, then a man would not be allowed to drink excessively. A good deal of preaching for total prohibition had been done in England without any result.

### Prendergast's Mental Condition.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 15.—Lawyer A. S. Trude is preparing an article for a magazine upon a theory as to Prendergast's responsibility for his act when he assassinated Mayor Carter Harrison. Mr. Trude's theory is that Prendergast was sane when he committed the deed. He cites the fact that the man was animated by a sense of fear in fleeing from the servant at the home of Mayor Harrison. He cites cases where men who have committed crimes while insane appeared to have no sense of fear and would even rush into danger. The cleverness with which Prendergast sought to ensure his own safety is cited as proof of his sanity.

### Religion Sent Him Crazy.

Rondout, N. Y., Nov. 15.—Ira Krum, a fanatic who for years has claimed to have revelations from God, but has lived an honest life, died at his home in Snyder Hollow, among the Catskills, last night. His death is thought to have been caused by starvation. He announced some time ago that he had a vision in which he had been told that if he should fast forty days he would be able to walk upon the water. He fasted the number of days and then attempted to walk on the water and was nearly drowned. Not long after this he declared that he had had another vision, in which he had been commanded to fast 20 days more. He started on his fast, but became so broken down that neighbors compelled him to take nourishment, but intervention came too late. Krum was extremely religious and claims to have had many visions.

### The Columbia and Olympia.

San Francisco, Nov. 15.—Irving M. Scott, president of the Union Iron Works, says there is nothing particularly astounding in the performance of the Columbia yesterday. Relatively she developed no greater speed than the Olympia, and therefore both coasts have something to be proud of in the way of rapid warships. "One thing to be taken into consideration," said Mr. Scott, "is that the eastern built cruiser has 50 per cent. more power than our flyer. The Columbia has three sets of engines, with something like 20,000 horse power. The Olympia is provided with only two engines, that give her 13,000 horse power. We contracted to attain a speed of 20 knots and will probably reach 22, if nothing unforeseen occurs."

### The French Exposition.

Paris, Nov. 15.—Director General M. Alfred Picard, of the French world's exposition of 1900, has just received a packet of documents from the representatives of the French government at the Columbian exposition, giving accurate statistics and descriptions of the White City on Lake Michigan. To say that the official report has caused dismay to M. Picard and his associates is putting it mildly, for although a general idea of the magnitude of the Chicago show had been conveyed to the French people through the press, the photographs of the buildings and the grounds and the figures relative to the same submitted to the promoters of the coming exposition have made them almost despair of creating anything that will compare favorably with the American display. It had at first been accepted as a matter of course that the site of the Exposition Universelle in 1889 would be used in 1900, but it is now seen that the area of the Champ de Mars is totally inadequate if the example set by Chicago is to be equalled, and hence the Director-General and his assistants are considering every available plot of ground within twenty miles of the centre of the city. It is doubtful, however, if sufficient space can be secured within a reasonable distance of the city, and it is probable that the old site will be utilized, with such additions as can be made by tearing down old structures.

### Knights of Labor Assembly.

Philadelphia, Nov. 15.—Several hundred delegates were present this morning when General Master Workman Powderly called the annual assembly of the Knights of Labor to order. The meeting is what is known as a constitutional convention, no election of officers being held this year. The principal feature of the programme, and one which has been the subject of discussion in labor circles for some weeks, is the project to amalgamate all the labor organizations of the country into one body. The idea has not met with much favor, and there is little prospect that it can be carried out.

### American Missionary Convention.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 15.—The attendance at the eighth annual missionary convention which has been in session in the De Gives opera house for the past two days reached such a point to-day that two overflow meetings had to be held in neighboring churches. These gatherings are strictly non-sectarian, belief in Christ being the only qualification. The meetings are held under the auspices of the permanent committee appointed in Chicago eight years ago, consisting of Rev. R. A. Torrey, who is at the head of Mr. Moody's great evangelization society, B. Fay Mills and other prominent workers. Among those who are to present papers are Mr. J. A. Riis, author of "How the Other Half Lives," David Allen, of the School of Christian Workers; Professor John R. Commons, secretary of the Institute of Christian Sociology; C. N. Crittenden, of the New York Florence Night Mission; Major George A. Hilton, conductor of the famous mission at Los Angeles, Cal.; E. P. Hammond, the children's evangelist; John P. Quinn, the anti-gambling evangelist, and many others. The convention will continue until the 17th.

### Georgia's Big Fair.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 15.—The Inter-State Industrial exposition of the South was formally opened this morning by Governor W. H. Northen, and will continue thirty days. The show consists of the regular annual Georgia state fair and the Augusta exposition, and the largest affair of the kind ever held in the South outside of New Orleans. Many of the most attractive exhibits seen at the World's fair in Chicago have been transferred to this city, and large numbers of visitors from all parts of the South who were unable to go there will visit this city during the coming month. Invitations have been extended to President Cleveland, Speaker Crisp, Vice-President Stevenson and the members of the senate and the house, and it is thought that a large number will take advantage of the recess to visit the South.

### Perished in the Storm.

Norfolk, W. Va., Nov. 15.—The pleasure boat W. C. Wincing left here on Friday while a storm was raging for Newport News. She was in charge of Samuel Brown and Edward Smith, colored, and had aboard four white passengers. Nothing was heard of the vessel until this afternoon, when she drifted ashore bottom side up near Carey island. It is believed all the occupants perished.

### Successful Dash for Liberty.

Chester, Ill., Nov. 15.—Turnkey Ed. Barth of the southern penitentiary was confronted by David L. Douglas, aged 14, who placed the muzzle of a revolver under the guard's nose and said: "Hand over the keys or I will kill you." Barth gave up the keys. At this juncture Keeper Tinapple appeared and Douglas fired at him. This alarmed the other keepers, who came rushing to the scene. Douglas had reached and opened the door. Keeper McKee opened fire at him, shooting six times. Douglas returned the fire, shooting McKee in the arm. Douglas was hit in the chest and severely wounded, but continued his flight. He was followed by a convict named Smith, and both escaped through the warden's house. Smith was re-captured, but Douglas crossed the Mississippi river and is still at large.

### A Fearful Revenge.

Alliance, O., Nov. 15.—Curt Davidson, employed on the farm of C. C. Baugh, of this place, last night, in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Baugh, cut the throat of their daughter Birdie, killing her, and then ravished the body. Davidson subsequently committed suicide by cutting his throat. The only reason for the crime was a remark of the girl to the effect that she wished the family were rid of Davidson.

### Harrison Politely Declines.

Indianapolis, Nov. 15.—Efforts were made to-day to get the opinion of ex-President Harrison upon the Hawaiian affair. He said: "I hardly care to say anything about it. I fully realize there is a desire to get my views on the matter, and I also fully appreciate your position, but I do not feel that it would be proper for me to rush into print."

# ROBERT M'GREEVY

## Under the Persistent Questioning of B. B. Osler

## UNFOLDS THE TALE OF ROGUERY

## And Tells How Enormous Sums of Public Money

### Were Spent to Encompass the Conspirators' Ends—Bribery and Corruption at the Polls—Elections Bought and Sold—How Thomas McGreevy Was Elected in Quebec West.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—When the assize court met to-day the evidence of Robt. McGreevy in the case of McGreevy and Connolly was resumed. He was examined by B. B. Osler with regard to the Levis graving dock contract, and the change whereby $66,000 was given to finish the work. Thomas McGreevy told him that he (Robert) was to get $22,000 out of this sum. Witness got $22,000 in notes; of this amount he gave $14,000 to Thomas. He understood Thomas wanted this money for a newspaper. The balance of the $22,000 was paid on account.

Mr. Osler—Tell us what you know of the $25,000 formerly spoken of.

Witness—Murphy gave me $10,000 out of $15,000 to give Thomas McGreevy, and I gave it to him.

Mr. Osler—What further do you know about this $25,000?

Witness—I know that $5,000 was given for a certain election.

Mr. Osler—And what do you know about the other $10,000?

Witness—Thomas told me he got it from Murphy.

Mr. Osler—You got $10,000 yourself, you know $5,000 went to that particular election, and Thomas told you he got the other?

Witness—Yes.

Mr. Osler—What particular election was that?

Witness—It was, I understand, Quebec West.

Mr. Osler—Who was running there?

Witness—Thomas McGreevy was a candidate there.

Mr. Osler—And was he elected?

Witness—He was elected.

Mr. Osler—Did Thomas know that money was being spent in his election?

Witness—I think so.

Continuing to answer Mr. Osler's questions, witness said he was sometimes present at the audit of the books of the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co. He could not say what Thomas had to do for the money given him unless to do all he could to advance the interests of the company at Ottawa.

Mr. Osler—Had your getting 30 per cent. out of the firm nothing to do with Thomas McGreevy?

Witness—It had nothing to do with him in the first instance. I thought I had rendered sufficient services in the works for the interest I got.

Mr. Osler—And they presented their claims to Thomas?

Witness—I presented their claims to Thomas from time to time. I wrote to him and spoke to him about the affairs of the company.

The remainder of the forenoon was occupied in taking evidence in regard to the Crosswall tenders, whereby the tenders of Beaucage & Gallagher were dropped out and the contract fell to Larkin, Connolly & Co. McGreevy is still on the stand.

### Taschereau's Illness.

Quebec, Nov. 15.—The reported ill health of Cardinal Taschereau has been exaggerated. He has been suffering from stomach complaint, but is now recovering, and this morning was walking in the corridors of his palace, much improved in health.

### Quebec's Defences.

Quebec, Nov. 15.—The gun which arrived here on Sunday by the Laurentian is a five ton six inch high angle firing piece, and is to be placed on the citadel, probably on the Prince of Wales' bastion, facing the plains. It is still on the Quebec wharf waiting orders from the customs department to be handed over to the military authorities.

### More Spanish Dynamite.

Barcelona, Nov. 15.—Last evening, while troops were marching through the Plaza Real, en route to Melilla, a dynamite bomb with a burning fuse attached was discovered on the balcony of an unfinished building. The police believe it to be the work of anarchists, and that some one in the crowd threw the bomb on the balcony.

### Misguided Moralists Fined.

Osceola, Neb., Nov. 15.—The women whitecaps' case, which caused a sensation here a few weeks ago, when a dozen prominent women were accused of flogging girls for alleged laxity of morals, was settled yesterday by the accused women pleading guilty to unlawful assembly and being fined $5 each.

### Horrors of Siberia.

San Francisco, Nov. 15.—The ten arrested Russian convicts who escaped from Siberia and were brought here by two whaling vessels, to-day issued an appeal to the people of the United States, in which they detail what would become of them if they are returned to Siberia. They say they will be starved, loaded with chains and lashed until rivers of blood run on the ground. "It is so cold there," the appeal says, "blood will freeze on the ground like red ice." Then it will be their fate to work at night in the woods, cutting down great trees. "If we don't walk fast and cut fast with axes they will flog us again. No man in Saghalien eats so much in seven days as one man in your prison eats in one day. Rather than go back to Russia we would stay in your jails."

## CALIFORNIA'S FAIR.

### Great Progress Being Made With the Preparations.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—The site for Heidelberg castle, which is to be erected on the Midwinter Fair grounds, has been selected. The concessionaire says the castle will cost $80,000 and the German village $20,000 to construct. The supervisors of several counties have made appropriations for the county exhibits. Commissioners have been named in these counties, and private subscriptions are expected to supplement the appropriations of the supervisors. Exhibits from Chicago have been secured for the fair as follows: British exhibit, to occupy 6,000 feet in the manufacturers' building; Swiss exhibit, 200 feet; Irish exhibit, to occupy 1,000 feet; Oriental exhibits, to occupy 1,000 feet; Austrian and Bohemian, 5,000 square feet; Japan, 3,000 feet; Italian, 800 feet; and Russian, 1,200 feet. Gov. Colcord, of Nevada, who is here, says: "We will have the entire Nevada display, recently exhibited in Chicago, brought to the Midwinter Fair, and will add considerable more material, besides which samples of this year's crop will be selected and a full display of everything we grow will be open for inspection." A contract has been signed for a beautiful Ceylon pavilion, which was in the manufacturers' hall at the Columbian exposition. Preparations are being made for an elaborate display of fireworks on the night of February 22nd. The plan as now outlined includes a fiery spectacle as magnificent as the greatest given in the White City. Nothing on such a scale was ever seen here or anywhere else on the continent, except at Chicago. William G. Harrison has accepted the presidency of the committee and will have in hand the preparations for a congress of sports. There will be a geographical congress at the fair on behalf of the geographical society of the Pacific coast on Friday, March 16th. A committee has chosen the day named and will now prepare an outline of the day's exercises.

## THE MONEY MARKET.

### State of Trade in the American Metropolis Yesterday.

New York, Nov. 14.—The movements at the stock exchange were more than usually erratic to-day. A number of dealings were largely professional, but it is quite evident that the leading operators were taking a more active interest in speculation than of late. The "bears" started off with another attack on some of the grangers, but the movement was short-lived, as Sugar was taken in hand by the "bulls" and advanced from 94 1-2 to 96 1-2. This so discounted the "shorts" that a covering movement was started at once in other parts of the list. The report, afterwards verified by the official announcement, that the directors of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy would declare the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-4 per cent., helped along the rise. Burlington & Quincy moved up from 80 1-2 to 82 1-4; St. Paul from 63 to 64; Rock Island, from 66 3-8 to 67 5-8; General Electric, from 41 1-4 to 43 7-8; Atchison, from 18 5-8 to 18 1-2; Distillers', from 28 3-4 to 29 7-8; Western Union, from 87 7-8 to 88 1-4; Chicago Gas, from 60 5-8 to 62; Reading, from 22 1-4 to 23; and New England, from 27 1-4 to 28 1-2. Rumors were again rife about important traffic arrangements between the Lehigh Valley, New York, Susquehanna and Western, and the New England roads, and the statements that the Vanderbilts were after Reading, if not in full control of the property, were reiterated. The upward movement was checked by a sudden slump in Louisville & Nashville from 48 to 48 1-2 on the talk of dissatisfaction among the foreign holders of the stock over the recent purchase of the Chesapeake, Ohio & South Western for C. P. Huntington. The appointment of a receiver for the Thurber, Whyland Co. also operated against the market, but the bears held back until it became definitely known that the Burlington & Quincy dividend was at the usual figure; then they began a systematic raid and were more successful than usual. Declines ranging from 1-2 to 3-8 were recorded right through the list. National Orange dropped 3 3-8 to 22; Manhattan 2 5-8 to 127 3-8; Sugar, 2 1-2 to 94; Burlington & Quincy, 2 to 80 1-4; Rock Island, 1 5-8 to 66; General Electric, 1 5-8 to 42 1-2; St. Paul, 1 3-8 to 62 5-8. The other leading shares yielded 1-4 to 1 per cent, and the final quotations as a rule were the lowest of the day. The market closed weak in tone. The sales were 251,848 shares. Closing bids: Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 18 5-8; Burlington & Quincy, 80 1-4; Canada Southern, 49 1-2; Central Pacific, 18 1-2; Chicago, Cincinnati & St. Louis, 35; Delaware, Lackawanna & Quincy, 167; Erie, 13 5-8; Wells Fargo Express, 12 1-2; Great Northern preferred, 107 1-2; Lake Shore, 127 1-2; Louisville & Nashville, 46 1-2; Missouri Pacific, 24; New York Central, 102; New York & North Eastern, 27 1-4; North American, 5; Northern Pacific, 7; de preferred, 21; North Western, 102 1-4; Oregon Navigation, 26; Pacific Mail, 16 1-2; Reading, 22; Rock Island, 66 5-8; Southern Pacific, 18 1-4; St. Paul, 62 3-4; Texas Pacific, 7 1-4; Union Pacific, 17; Western Union Telegraph, 87 1-4; bar silver, 69 1-4c. per ounce. Money on call, 1 to 2. Foreign exchange sterling, 4.83 for 60 days, 4.85 on demand. Union Pacific firsts of 1896, 102 3-4; Central Pacific firsts of 1895, 103 bid.

### Saved by a Canadian.

The Liverpool Echo of October 25th comes to hand with the record of a brave deed in South Africa by Captain J. J. Walsh, a native of Windsor, Nova Scotia. The Echo says: "The British and African Steam Navigation Company's royal mail steamer Volta, which arrived yesterday at Havre from West Africa, reports that at Assinie, a French protectorate, a French commandant and his troops narrowly escaped massacre. Some disaffection had occurred among the natives and the commandant of the place went up the Assinie river with a following of about thirty Senegalese soldiers. Soon after the troops landed in the town they were made prisoners, the natives getting possession of the rifles of the men and even the revolver of the commandant. Just at this time, however, a trading launch belonging to a firm of Liverpool timber merchants at Assinie was ascending the river in charge of their agent, Captain Walsh, who had with him a Winchester rifle. On becoming aware of the peril the Frenchmen were in he swam to the bank and opened fire on the natives. In a few minutes fifteen of the natives had fallen and the others sought shelter. Captain Walsh then armed the Kroomen who were in his launch and effected the rescue of the French expedition, not a man of which was lost. After obtaining reinforcements Captain Walsh returned to the place of capture, which was taken. The chief at whose instigation the French were taken prisoners was amongst the slain. The French commander afterwards thanked Captain Walsh for his timely rescue, and said that had he not acted with so much courage and promptitude the whole French force would in all probability have fallen victims to the treachery of the natives."

### General News.

Paris, Nov. 14.—The chamber of deputies opened its session to-day. Almost every one of the members was present and the galleries were filled with visitors. M. Pierre Blanche, member for Savoie, and doyen of the chamber, presided at the opening. A vote was then taken for temporary president and M. Casimir Pereire, who was president of the last chamber, was chosen.

London, Nov. 14.—Both the Coal Mine Owners' Association and the Miners' Federation have accepted the recommendation made by Mr. Gladstone in his letter to the associations. In this letter Mr. Gladstone said, among other things tending to bring the dispute to an end, that it appeared to the government that advantages will accrue from the discussion of the points at issue between the employers and employees under the chairmanship of Lord Rosebery. A conference will be held forthwith.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—Herr Hanauer, Imperial Minister of Justice, has made a report to the Emperor on the case of the two Frenchmen arrested some time since at Kiel on suspicion of being spies, who afterwards confessed that they belonged to the French staff. At the time of their arrest they pleaded that they were yachtsmen, an English vessel chartered by them having brought them to Kiel. When they and the yacht were searched the police found a collection of photographs and plans of the defence of several of the German posts. Minister Hanauer, in his report, says that surprising revelations have been made in the case, linking the French war office with the work of the prisoners.

London, Nov. 14.—In the house of commons to-day Charles J. Darling, Conservative member for Deptford, moved the adjournment of the house to discuss the action of the government in permitting anarchists to meet in Trafalgar square. Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, leader of the opposition in the house, took part in the discussion. He said he blamed the government for encouraging the holding of meetings to propagate infamous doctrines. John Burns, Socialist member for Battersea, defended the right of public meetings, even if such meetings were held by anarchists. No trouble, he said, would arise unless the police interfered. Mr. Darling's motion was defeated without a division being taken.

## AMERICAN NEWS NOTES

### Daily Chronicle of Events in the Great Republic.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Secretary Carlisle to-day received from the commissioner of immigration at San Francisco a report accompanied by a sworn testimony about the landing in San Francisco of 12 Russians who were picked up by passing vessels and brought to this country. The men are now under arrest in San Francisco, and the question that complicates the situation is what to do with them.

New York, Nov. 14.—The Ward Co. steamship Yumuri, from Havana Nov. 9th, arrived here this morning. Capt. Hanson said that he knew nothing of the revolution there. "You have later news here," he said, "than I." The Yumuri, however, carried in its mails a large number of Havana papers. They gave a long account of what appears to be a spontaneous sort of uprising of small bands of revolutionists all over the island. The editor of the Patria, and a member of the revolutionary party in Cuba, was seen at his office this morning. He had just received the following cable dispatch in reference to the reported uprising in that island: "Key West, Nov. 1.—The persecution goes on against the Esquerrez party and others. The condition is critical." He also had the following: "Ocala, Fla., Nov. 1.—A large meeting of sympathizers was held last night, with great enthusiasm."

### Big Men and Women.

What enormous fellows and what leviathan persons some of these Swedish men and women are! Nowhere will you see such noble specimens of humanity as in Stockholm's streets. The feature seems to pervade all classes, though it is not least striking among the nobility. Six feet is a common height for a man here, and I really do not believe I exaggerate in saying that men of 6 feet 3 or 4 inches are as common in Stockholm as men of 6 feet with us.

The tallness of the women is just as noteworthy. You remark it less, however, because they are so well proportioned. They say it is easy to tell by the size of the boots outside of the doors which rooms of a hotel are occupied by the Swedish fair. This is a very endurable hit at the Swedish ladies. They do not wear sixes or sevens in shoe leather; no sculptor would find fault with them on professional grounds. Moreover, they have most winsome complexions, and, of course, blue eyes are nowhere more intensely blue than here.

It is comforting to know (I speak on the evidence of one of the pensionnaires) that Swedish maidens have a great admiration for English bachelors. They read French novels, but they believe in English bridegrooms. The blood bond still exists, I suppose, between them and us.—The Cornhill Magazine.

No Cure, No Pay.

Men who are weak, nervous, broken down; men who suffer from the effects of disease, over-work, worry, from the follies of youth, or the excesses of manhood; men who have failed to find a cure, **do not despair, do not give up!** Forty years experience has proved that Dr. Clarke's celebrated method of treatment can be depended on with absolute certainty to effect a permanent cure. So confident am I, that it will cure even the worst cases, that I am willing to let you deposit the **money in your local bank** to be **paid me** *after you are cured* and not **until then; this makes you** *absolutely* **safe. If unable to call, send for free Question List and be cured at Home.**

Everything sent sealed, secure from exposure.

Call or address, naming this paper

**Dr. F. D. CLARKE, Merill Block, Detroit, Michigan**

## AFFAIRS AT RIO.

### Both Sides are to Blame for Continuance of Hostilities.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The secretary of the navy has just received the following cable message in cipher from Capt. Pickering, commanding the U. S. naval force at Rio de Janeiro, dated Rio, yesterday: "The senior commanding officers have informed Admiral Mello that they would protect the landing of cargo in lighters of any nationality, the flag of the nation discharging the cargo to be hoisted on the bows of the lighters. Mello in anger promised to answer, but he has failed to do so, and in consequence no cargoes have been discharged since. Firing on the city goes on daily with small arms and machine guns. Both sides are to blame."

New York, Nov. 14.—A World's Rio dispatch says: The situation of affairs in and around the city is extremely complicated. Fort Villegagnon replied to the batteries yesterday on St. John's woods and heights. A shell burst around the drawbridge at the quarters and several shots fell into Fortress Villegagnon, destroying trenches and barricades. There was heavy cannonading. Part of Armaco was burning early yesterday morning. Boats undertook to capture the military school launch. On retiring they attacked the beaches on the south side of the bay. Forces from Villegagnon also attacked a land force at Santa Luzia. The attacks on the marine and war arsenals were repelled. When darkness set in severe fighting was going on in the neighborhood of Niotherey.

London, Nov. 14.—The Times' advices from Rio de Janeiro say: There was heavy firing last week by the government forts on Fort Villegagnon. The interior of the town is intact. There are continual skirmishes at Niotherey between government troops and insurgents' small craft. A conference between the insurgent leaders resulted in a decision to shortly hoist the imperial flag. This action secures the co-operation of Admiral Gama, chief of the naval college, who carries with him the sympathy of many adherents of the army and navy who belong to leading families. The consequence of this step is to gain to the insurgents the islands of Cobras and Inchadas.

### The Penitentiary Wardenship.

Regarding the statements made in the eastern press that the opposition to Mr. Fitzsimmons for the wardenship of the British Columbia penitentiary was purely on religious grounds and that the majority of the Roman Catholics in the province were favorable to Mr. Fitzsimmons' appointment, a prominent Irish Roman Catholic citizen yesterday volunteered the following statement: "As a matter of fact, the majority of the Irish Roman Catholics in Westminster are not favorable to Mr. Fitzsimmons' candidature, but, on the other hand, only a very few are supporting his claims. We do not look upon this as a question where the matter of religion should come in at all, and the great majority of us endorse Mr. Moresby, believing him to be the better man. It just amounts to this, that if the religious cry is kept up the Irish Catholics of Westminster will not be long in sending a memorial to Ottawa which will convince the department of justice of the ground on which the majority of us stand. You may publish this if you like," added the speaker.—Columbian.

### The Editor's Mistake.

The editor of an American weekly journal lately lost two of his subscribers through accidentally departing from the beaten track in his answers to correspondents. Two of his subscribers wrote to ask him for a remedy for their respective troubles. No. 1, a happy father of twins, wrote to inquire the best way to get them safely over the teething, and No. 2 wanted to know how to protect his orchard from the myriad of grasshoppers. The editor framed his answer upon the orthodox lines, but unfortunately transposed their two names, with the result that No. 1, who was blessed with the twins, read, in reply to his query: "Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to them, and the little pests, after jumping about in the flames for a few minutes, will speedily be settled." While No. 2, plagued with grasshoppers, was told to "give a little castor oil and rub their gums gently with a bone."

A Racking Cough

Cured by **Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.** Mrs. P. D. HALL, 217 Genessee St., Lockport, N. Y., says:

"Over thirty years ago, I remember hearing my father describe the wonderful curative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During a recent attack of La Grippe, which assumed the form of a **catarrh, soreness of the lungs,** accompanied by an aggravating **cough,** I used various remedies and prescriptions. While some of these medicines partially alleviated the coughing during the day, none of them afforded me any relief from that spasmodic action of the lungs which would seize me the moment I attempted to lie down at night. After ten or twelve such nights, I was

**Nearly in Despair,**

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments, I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning **greatly refreshed** and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

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### Safely in a Big Diamond.

The magnificent diamond in the Tiffany exhibit at Chicago, which flashes like an electric light as it goes around on its revolving pedestal of crimson velvet, has been bought by Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes, the wife of the Chicago millionaire, owning the north and south line of cable cars, for the sum of $100,000. As to whether Mrs. Yerkes will be safe in wearing such a jewel is a matter much discussed among her friends.

"She will be perfectly safe," assert some, "much safer than you or I would be in displaying our modest ornaments. No man would be such a fool as to attempt to steal that diamond. It has been advertised all over the world. He could neither wear it nor sell it as it is, and he could carry it to no lapidary to be changed into other forms who would not be thoroughly acquainted with its history."

"But might it not be seized upon by some thief too ignorant to be aware of these contingencies?"

"No: for such a person would be ignorant also of the value of the stone. Mrs. Yerkes may wear her diamond with perfect impunity."—Philadelphia Times.

*Mr. John Hungerford*

Proprietor of the fine livery stable at the West End hotel, Elmira, N. Y., says Hood's Sarsaparilla goes way ahead of anything he ever took for troubles with the

**Liver and Kidneys**

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## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting by James Wishart and George G. Meldram for a ratification of the temporary transfer of a license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Clarence Hotel, situate on the corner of Douglas and Yates streets in the City of Victoria, from George Stelly to the said James Wishart and George G. Meldram granted to them by the said board at its last sittings.

And further take notice that an application will also be made to the said board for a transfer of the said license from George Stelly to James Wishart and George G. Meldram.

Dated this 9th day of October, A. D. 1893.

GEORGE STELLY,
JAMES WISHART,
GEORGE G. MELDRAM.

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**INFORMATION FURNISHED ABOUT THE KOOTENAY COUNTRY**

The publishers of THE MINER will answer any inquiries in regard to the general outlook and future prospects of the Kootenay Country to subscribers. If you want to start in business in any of the cities, they will advise you about the population and the prospects for any particular or general line of trade.

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R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd.,
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## CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

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FORMOSA
From Liverpool.
WM. KAIN, Master.

This vessel will commence discharging cargo at Rithet's inner wharf, Wednesday, Oct. 4th. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight, and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd.,
Consignees of Vessel
Victoria, Oct. 3rd, 1893. o3

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## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for an act to incorporate a company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a line of railway from some point on the gulf of Georgia, in Delta Municipality, thence by the most feasible route to the city of New Westminster, with power to construct a branch line extending from some point in Delta Municipality in an easterly direction through the municipalities of Surrey, Langley and Matsqui to a point at or near Abbottsford.

Dated the 26th day of August, 1893.

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## Assignment For Benefit of Creditors.

Amos J. Hughitt of Victoria and Genoa, B. C., carrying on business under the name of Hughitt & McIntyre, having made an assignment to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors, all persons having claims against the said assignor or against the firm of Hughitt & McIntyre are hereby required to send in their claims, duly verified, to Matthew Trotter Johnston, and persons indebted to the said assignor are required to pay their accounts to the undersigned

THOS. EARLE.
MATTHEW TROTTER JOHNSTON.
Assignees.
Victoria, 9th October, 1893. o10-tf

## NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890, notice is hereby given that Amos J. Hughitt, carrying on business at Genoa and the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, under the name, style and firm of Hughitt and McIntyre, has, by deed dated the 6th day of October, 1893, assigned all his real and personal property to Thomas Earle, of the City of Victoria, merchant, and Matthew Trotter Johnston, of the same place, merchant, in trust for the benefit of his creditors. The said deed was executed by the assignor and assignees on this 6th day of October, 1893.

Dated 6th October, 1893.

THOMAS EARLE.
M. T. JOHNSTON.
Oct6-tf Assignees.

## Notice---Municipal Act, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as "The Wilson" Hotel, situate on Lot 433 Yates street, in the City of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, 8th November, 1893.

WILLIAM KELDAY TURLOCH.

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**Wednesday, Nov. 15th, at 10:30 a.m.**

ABOUT 200 CRYSANTHEMUMS AND plants at our sale rooms Nov. 15th and 16th.

**Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 15th and 16th at 1 o'clock sharp.**

THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE FURniture, fittings, fixtures, etc., of the Colonial Metropole Hotel, Johnson street, about 100 rooms.

**Friday, Nov. 17th, at 11 a.m.**

THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK IN TRADE, tools, etc., of H. G. Downer, plumber and gasfitter, by order of assignees; consisting of closets and fittings, brass goods, sheet lead, lead piping, drawn traps, iron piping and fittings, etc., on the premises, Yates street.

**Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 22nd and 23rd, noon.**

COSTLY JAPANESE ART GOODS, SILKS, satins, ivories, bronzes, etc., by order of Mr. T. S. Futcher, the well known dealer, at our rooms.

**Monday, Nov. 27th, at 11 a.m.**

CITY AND SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE by order of mortagees, re Joseph and Bessie Phoenix.

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### The Man With the Iron Mask.

Do we really at length know the great secret of the Man with the Iron Mask? According to the celebrated M. Bazeries the mysterious prisoner of Pignerol and the Bastille was neither a brother of Louis XIV., nor Count Matthioli, nor the husband of the Grande Mademoiselle, nor Superintendent Fouquet, nor any other of the numerous persons on whose behalf a claim has been set up by the ingenious. M. Bazeries has been engaged for some time in an attempt to discover the key of the cipher used by Louis XIV. for his most secret state letters, and at length he has succeeded. There exist a number of documents in the Grande Monarque's handwriting in the cipher, but hitherto no one has been able to make them out. Among them M. Bazeries professes to have discovered a truly remarkable document. It is contained among the papers of Marshal Catinat, carefully preserved by his descendants. It sets forth the fact that the king was highly displeased by the conduct of M. de Bulonde, who, against his orders, had raised the siege of Conti, and it ends by ordering him to be imprisoned at Pignerol, where he was to be shut up at night and only allowed to take exercise "in a mask." Supposing the authenticity of the document can be proved, it seems certain that this M. de Bulonde and the Man in the Iron Mask (which, by the way, was a velvet mask) are one and the same.

### How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" soap wrappers (wrapper bearing the words "Why does a Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man?") to Lever Brothers, Limited, 43 Scott street, Toronto, Ont., and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market, and will only cost 1c postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

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**They Do the Rest in Effecting Sales They Go Between the Merchant and Buyer—Judgment Needed as well as Capital and Advertising.**

Written for the Times by Nath'l. C. Fowler, Jr., Doctor of Publicity.

A king is superior to his subjects.

If he isn't he isn't a king.

The discipline of trade demands that there be leaders and heads.

A poor leader is better than no leader at all.

The generals of history, massed into solid column, without a commander, would stampede at the sight of the enemy. They had better be under the direction of a drummer boy than under no direction.

Discipline is as much a part of trade as trade itself.

Whatever the social relations may be outside of the store, the proprietor has no right to meet in business, as business equals, those who work for him, unless such persons occupy confidential positions.

Business must have a head before it can be run aright, and a head cannot exist without discipline, and a proper respect from the employee to the employer, with a full recognition that inside of the store the employer is superior to the employee, whatever the relative positions may be in the social world.

The man who is able to be in business for himself and employ others generally has a keener business head and a better business judgment than employees of any class except the highest, consequently he is worthy of a certain amount of respect, which respect is given him generally, and must be given him by those under him.

The employer and employee occupy distinct positions, the one having discipline at his disposal and the other under the yoke of discipline.

No decent man objects to discipline, nor does he find fault with orders, provided the orders are legitimate and given in the proper spirit.

The detail management of successful business is similar to the discipline of war, without the pomp and showy features of military life.

The employee is just as good a man as his employer, and as able to occupy as high a social position, and in the grand wind-up of human affairs will stand alongside of the richest man and the most progressive merchant who ever lived, but if he be a good employee he recognizes the earthly condition of things and is willing to obey until he obtains a position where others must obey him.

The ignorant man is the one who complains, for the intelligent man has learned, or by experience must learn, the lesson of obedience in the ranks of business before he will assume the commission of command.

Advertising, or any other method of publicity, never has sold goods beyond a few transient sales, and the disposal of certain illegitimate lines which could not be disposed of over first-class counters.

Advertising fulfils its mission when it creates in the buyer's mind a desire for the goods advertised, and an inclination to purchase of the advertiser, which bring the would-be purchasers into the store. Then the quality of the goods, interior arrangements and the salesman must consummate the trade.

The majority of employers do not appreciate the indispensable value of salesmen.

The salesman must consummate trade. Upon him depends the result of the employer's business management, judgment, capital and liberal advertising.

Without clerk, salesman or other employee, the employer could not do business.

The employee is as important as the employer, because the one could not exist without the other.

The great mistake made by business men is that they lease expensive stores, put in the most elaborate fixtures, carry the heaviest stock, arrange everything in the full harmony of light and shade, and expect ten dollar clerks to sell twenty dollar goods.

During the present business depression no employer would be justified in raising the salaries of his employees, except in special cases, nor should he add expense, but four good salesmen at $20 a week are worth more than eight salesmen at $10 a week.

Fully one half of the people who enter any store, drawn there by advertising or any other method of publicity, do not purchase goods, and yet they come to the store with that intent. They purchase of somebody else.

A first-class salesman cannot practically make every would-be purchaser buy something, but the salesman receiving $10 a week, or any other inadequate sum, cannot be a man of ambition, because if he were he would not work for that figure, and then there is no reason why he should be ambitious, because no one appreciates his services.

Quality in business outrides quantity every time.

Many a country merchant, and some city merchants too, open their stores at halfpast seven or eight in the morning, give employees an hour for lunch, some time for supper, and keep them until eight or nine o'clock at night, with only one or two evenings off a week, and during the months of summer a half holiday a week, and expect them to be ambitious, to love their employer and to work as if the business were theirs.

Every employee has a right to be married and to have his own family. He has a right to receive what his services are worth, he has a right to expect appreciation, if his services are worthy of it. He has a right to more than one or two evenings at home a week. He has a right to a half holiday a week in summer and an occasional half holiday throughout the year.

The employer thinks that because he himself doesn't care for half holidays and evenings that his employees should feel the same, but the proprietor can go home when he will, and the man who can do as he wants to is not to be pitied because he does not take recreation. But the employee cannot go at will. He is tied down to the rules of business, and as the weaker party is entitled to consideration.

I would rather have the enthusiastic work of satisfied employees for eight hours a day than have the dissatisfied work of dissatisfied men and women sixteen hours a day.

Inclination, not time, counts.

Many a man can do more in four hours, when he feels like it, than he can do in twenty hours when he doesn't feel like it.

The successful business man, outside of the trade Shylocks, who have neither reputation, pride nor standing, and who die under the curse of the people, are the men who are liberal in everything, and who treat their employees as they would their own family, yet maintaining the right kind of business discipline over them.

The world is not ready for the old Scottish idea of five days for work, one day for recreation and one day for God, but business men are realizing that the half holiday not only benefits the employees, but brings more money into the pockets of the employer.

It is simply a question whether the employer will have dissatisfied, grumbling clerks about him, who do not care whether he does business or not, who work only for the salary they receive, or whether he has enthusiastic men and women who respect him, who love the store or office they work in, who look upon him as a friend and who know everything they do will be appreciated. Such clerks will sell more goods, do more business and make less mistakes, and they will save for their employer double the difference between liberal pay and poor pay, to say nothing about the greater amount of money they will bring to him.

Place the matter upon moral grounds, and the employee is entitled to liberality. Place it upon selfish grounds, and the employer can make more money by liberality than he can by the practice of any other method.

On one side stands the employer, supposed to have sufficient capital and business judgment to do business. On the other hand stands the employee, who is the assistant, the go-between, the man who connects the employer's capital and judgment with the buying public, and without whom the employer with all the money in the world could do nothing more than hoard up his money.

There is liberality in the economy of business.

### A Twin-Screw Bicycle.

Frederick Heller, a plumber, living in Caldwell, N. J., who is a prominent cyclist in that place, has devised a scheme for the auxiliary propelling of bicycles, which, he thinks, will, with a good man above the pedals, revolutionize all existing records. In addition to the plumbing business Mr. Heller is engaged in the putting up of gas fixtures, and has to ride from house to house through the town. Realizing the necessity for speed, he set about to devise some scheme that would get him over the ground faster than an ordinary bicycle could be propelled.

He had read of the screw propellers being used on air as on steamships, and thought that if it were properly fitted to the rear of a bicycle and connected with a driving wheel by some light contrivance for transmitting power the benefit derived would more than compensate for the power expended in driving it.

His first apparatus consisted of a single screw set in a steel frame and driven by a leather belt, which passed round a large drum at the axle of the rear wheel. This arrangement worked fairly well, and, he says, helped him materially in the propelling of the bicycle, but as it had to set on one side of the wheel he found that it affected the steering to such an extent that if he did not pay careful attention to his work the course of his bicycle would be changed and he would fetch up against the fence or trees alongside of the road. He then thought of the feasibility of twin screws, as he had heard that they were used on steamships with considerable success. The difficulty presented, however, was that the gearing required would be too heavy, but he overcame that obstacle by having the different parts made of aluminum.

Mr. Heller uses a light wheel of standard manufacture and has not altered it to any considerable extent in fitting it to work the screws. Fastened to the frame that holds the rear axle are two upright rods. These are turned at the top and run into the heavy brace that holds the saddle post. The light steel shafts that have the propellers affixed to their ends pass through bearings in these rods. The power is derived from leather belts that pass around drums at the axle. The propellers used are made of brass, and are similar to those used as electric fans. They are driven at a high rate of speed, as the wheel on the shaft is not more than one-eighth the size of the drum, and they look like balls of gold when the cyclist whirls along the street.

Mr. Heller is not a crack rider, and he has only recently perfected his invention, but he says that within the past week he has beaten most of the local riders and some pretty good horses. He has made an application for a patent on his scheme, and says he would not sell it for big money.

Mr. Heller took his machine out Monday and gave a Sun reporter an exhibition of speed through the principal streets of Caldwell. The road was muddy and the rain poured down steadily, and the cyclist claimed he could not give the device a proper showing. He came down the street, however, at a rattling rate, and the fans made a noise not unlike a miniature wind storm. They revolved so fast, indeed, that a steady stream of water could be seen shooting out from behind, and that, mixed with the mud that the back wheel threw up, made the rider look like a comet, for a trail of mud and water extended for some distance in the air behind him as he whizzed along. Two people in a carriage who were driving in the same direction as the bicyclist appreciated the fact that something unusual was attached to the wheel, for a shower of the muddy water flew up in their faces as he dashed past, and it frightened their horse so for a time that it looked as if a runaway would occur. Heller says he has invited Champion Zimmerman to try his wheel and he believes that he will decide in its favor.—New York Sun.

It may be doubted, says an English writer, whether our measurement of animal courage has yet been sufficiently extended, for there appear instances in which the acts of daring are prompted by a sense of obedience, of discipline and even of duty—something similar in kind to that which marks and distinguishes the highest kind of courage in man.

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### Students Who Boycott the Girls.

The New York Press regrets to chronicle the fact that the male students of Wesleyan university, up in Connecticut, have ungallantly resolved to ignore the girl students of that institution. In brief, without any pun being intended, it may be said that the boys have resolved to boycott the girls. The young women who are receiving co-education in Wesleyan university are to be treated, according to the plan laid down, with conspicuous rudeness. They will not be invited by the college boys to any entertainment, and any male student seen in conversation with one of them will be subjected to severe discipline by his fellow students.

The reason alleged for this unchivalric conduct is that the girls in Wesleyan are increasing in numbers so rapidly that the power and prestige of the masculine students are on the decline. Football in Wesleyand is suffering from a lack of interest, because the girls can't see any fun in kicking an old ball over the ground and manifest an appalling indifference to the exploits of the "rushers." In respect of the college yell, also, the girls are sad failures. They are unable to appreciate its beauties or join effectively in its dulcet tones, and one fair "co-ed" has been known to refer to it indignantly as that "horrid screech." The Press advises the Wesleyan young men to mend their ways. The traits of which they complain in the Wesleyan young women might profitably influence their own conduct. There is a great deal of barbarism in the American colleges, as the residents of New York are painfully aware on Thanksgiving night; and in the presence of clever and refined young women in the class rooms and on the campus there is an influence that tends to restrain the too exuberant spirits of the young men and make them behave like gentlemen. The girls have precisely the same inalienable rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of knowledge that the boys have, and fair play demands that they shall be allowed full opportunity to make use of their privileges.

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Dated at Victoria 10th November, 1893.
n10 M. C. BROWN.

### NOTICE

Is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a renewal of the license held by me to sell wine, beer and spirituous liquors in the Hotel Victoria, corner of Government and Johnson streets, Victoria, B.C.

P. T. PATTON,
Victoria, Nov. 10, 1893. td

### NOTICE.

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at the next sitting, to be held on Wednesday, the 13th day of December, 1893, for a renewal of the license granted to me for the sale of wine, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Janion Hotel, situate upon the west side of Store street in the city of Victoria.

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FRED J. CLAXTON,
Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., November 4th, 1893. td

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# The Daily Times.

## NOT YET EXPLAINED.

The Vancouver World pretends to be unable to see why the Times should have anything to say as to the persecution of the Kennedy brothers by the legislative assembly acting under the guidance of the guidance of the Attorney-General. The Times has precisely the same reason for condemning the persecution of the publishers of the Columbian as for condemning the persecution of the editor of the St. John Globe—because it loves liberty and hates tyranny. The World finds itself able to champion the cause of Mr. Ellis and censure the New Brunswick judges while at the same time approving of the malicious and tyrannical treatment of the Kennedys. The Times can see no difference between the two cases, and as it does not feel under any obligation to follow the Attorney-General through evil ways it is impelled to treat the two cases in precisely the same manner. We decidedly object to the methods of a century ago being employed in this our day to choke the press and prevent hostile criticism. The World quotes Dr. Milne as a witness against us and the Kennedys, but nothing is plainer than that Dr. Milne was mistaken, though quite honestly so. He simply failed to see through the government's game, and therefore innocently played into the hands of the Premier and the Attorney-General. The World also seeks to crush the Times by bringing against it this awful charge: "We have no doubt that if our contemporary at the capital followed out its natural bent it would advocate the doctrines of the socialist, but this it fails to do because they do not comport with those free institutions under which we live and thrive." If it is a doctrine of the socialist to protest against the oppressive acts of men "dressed in a little brief authority," then the Times is content to be ranked with the socialist. We trust that we shall never be so tied to the wheels of any political organization that we shall be obliged to give up the privilege of defending the liberty of the press. The prospect in this province is most favorable, we should say, in view of the Attorney-General's ignominious retreat in the Kennedy case. That is a part of the subject, by the way, of which the World fights shy. If it returns to the charge again it might kindly explain why Mr. Davie changed his ground and shirked the true issue, and why he never prepared that case for submission to the supreme court.

## WHY ARE THEY AFRAID?

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto World alleges that there is no certainty about the Montreal collectorship being given to Mr. White, M. P. for Cardwell, just at present. "There are a number of things to be smoothed out in party circles in Montreal," he says, "and Mr. White will not press any claims until this is done. As for opening seats in parliament the government pretty well decided some weeks ago not to do it, with the exception of Mackintosh in Ot[illegible]. If they did it in Cardwell they wo[illegible] urged to do it in two or three more [illegible]stituencies where members are willing [illegible] retire into office, but the government and their principal supporters in the house are against members taking offices and opening constituencies so that any retirements of this kind will be at the end of the parliament." Another Conservative correspondent at the capital has a very different report to make. He says: "An important meeting of the ministerial leaders was held here today, at which Senator Drummond presided. A plan of campaign for the coming bye-elections was discussed. To-night Messrs. Montague, Birmingham, and other workers left for Cardwell. When R. S. White, M. P., was here last week, Sir John Thompson requested him to make a tour through Cardwell and ascertain the political outlook there, stating that if the county was safe for the government candidate White would be appointed at once to the Montreal collectorship. White reports that there is no doubt about a government candidate's return, so that the constituency is likely to be opened at once." We have no means of deciding which story is right, and as a few days will set the matter at rest there would be no utility in speculation. But it is surely very significant that the government should feel even as much hesitation as the second correspondent admits about the opening of Cardwell or any other district that has for years been faithful to the Conservative cause. What is the matter with the great "National Policy" that the government can no longer put full faith in it as an election weapon? And why should so many members on the government side be anxious to creep into offices before the day of another general election comes on? Verily the Toronto World's correspondent makes the outlook for the government appear rather black.

The article published in the St. John Sun, on account of which Editor Ellis was condemned to imprisonment and fine, will not appear to any sane and honest reader as deserving such severe punishment. No jury in the country would have given such a verdict, yet the judges of the Supreme Court saw fit to exercise a doubtful power in this violent way. The article reads as follows:

People who know something about the course of political events were not surprised when they read in the papers this morning that Mr. Justice Tuck had issued a writ of prohibition to Judge Steadman, of the county court, prohibiting him from proceeding to recount the ballots in the Queen's election. Nevertheless the fact that such a writ has been issued adds fuel to the fire of discontent now burning fiercely over this whole business. The trick by which the voice of the majority in Queen's is silenced is condemned all over the country in unmistakable terms as a flagrant outrage upon public rights and as a grossly immoral transaction. The appeal to Judge Steadman for a judicial reconsideration was made to a man of fair and honest judgment, who, if he had political meanings at all, would have them towards the Conservative party, but whom the people generally would trust to do what was fair. He might, therefore, be safely allowed to examine into the whole matter and to do justice. But it is not justice that is wanted, and, therefore, Judge Tuck intervenes.

This whole business, as it stands before the country to-day, is a scandal and an outrage of the most abominable character. It is an outrage upon the electorate, and a disgrace to institutions alleged to be free. It is the worst blow public liberty and public morality have yet received, and no effort should be left untried by the friends of free institutions to prevent the foul deed which Baird and his allies are seeking to perpetrate on the country.

## THE MIDWINTER FAIR.

To the Editor: Do you not think it would be to our own advantage to make an exhibit at the Midwinter fair? Brackman & Ker obtaining a gold medal at the World's fair shows what we can do when we try, so why not get up an exhibit of our products and factories and show the world that we are alive, and, to use a slang expression, "we are fairly in it." Some parties are getting up a show in a private way, and I for one am surprised to know we raise such beautiful fruit and vegetables, which are a credit to any country in the world. We want people to farm our lands, so let us take advantage of this grand opportunity to show them and tell them what our country can do.

VICTORIA.

## AMERICAN NEWS NOTES

### Daily Chronicle of Events in The Great Republic.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Luis de Ojada, a wealthy young Spaniard from Guatemala, has just negotiated the biggest individual purchase ever made at Palo Alto. He bought 22 fillies, which he will ship to Guatemala. They are nearly all 2-year-olds, by such sires as Piedmont, Azmoor and Wildnut, and were purchased to breed trotters for the inhabitants of Guatemala. Senor Ojada is a son-in-law of ex-President Barillas and both he and the ex-President are to be interested in the venture. The stable at present consists of 300 horses, many of which were imported from Spain and Arabia.

New York, Nov. 14.—Advices by mail under date of Oct. 19th, received here to-day from Rousseau, the capital of the British West Indian Island of Dominica, say: Severe shocks of earthquake were experienced in this town at 11:25 on Saturday. These tremblings were felt from a north and northwesterly direction. The shocks were severely felt at the same time at St. Kitts, Antigua, Guadeloupe, Martinique, St. Lucia and St. Vincent. The weather at Dominica had been very sultry for some days previously, but was relieved by heavy showers of rain on Saturday afternoon. The heat, however, continued distressing, and there are indications of further atmospheric disturbances.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—The Canadian Pacific railway announced this morning that it had withdrawn its second-class rates which were put in force last Monday. The announcement caused considerable stir on the streets among the different agents, and there was much speculation as to the cause of it. M. M. Stern, district agent of the Canadian Pacific, said: "There was so little difference between the first-class rates and second-class rates that people preferred to pay a few dollars extra and get a saloon passage on the steamers, so the second-class rates were withdrawn."

New York, Nov. 15.—The fifteenth church congress of the Protestant Episcopal church was opened with devotional services at St. Bartholomew's church, on Madison avenue, at 11 o'clock this morning. This afternoon the first business meeting will be held at Chickering hall, at Fifth avenue and Eighteenth street. As Bishop Potter is in Italy, Bishop Dudley will preside over the convention. The question, "What Shall Be Done with the Saloon," will be discussed by Dr. Rainsford, Dr. McKim, Robert Graham and others. Many other topics pertaining to church and missionary work will receive exhaustive treatment.

New York, Nov. 15.—Stocks opened firm at higher prices and advanced 1-8&7-8 per cent, Grangers, American Sugar and Chicago Gas leading. Burlington & Quincy rose to 81 and Sugar to 94 5-8.

At Russell & McDonald's
Dry goods and clothing.

## CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

### The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

John D. Ham, a wealthy resident of Napanee, was taken suddenly ill on the street and died within a few minutes.

A meeting of the Canadian Pacific directors passed a resolution eulogizing the valuable services of Sir John Abbott to the company, and expressing the greatest sympathy with the family of the deceased statesman.

The C. P. R. steamer Athabasca and the whaleback Colgate collided in Lake George. The Athabasca had a few plates dented above the water line, but neither boat was seriously damaged, and both continued on their trips.

Rev. Herbert S. McKitrick, whose parents live in Orangeville, has died in Tarsus, Asiatic Turkey, of fever. He went thither in January last to take a position in St. Paul's institute, an institution for the education of native preachers.

George L. Stokes of New York, who wanted to borrow $20,000 from Sir Oliver Mowat, and was arrested on a charge of insanity, was before the police court, and a remand was granted, so that his mother, who lives on 140th street, New York, might be communicated with.

There was a big McCarthy demonstration at Stratford. The city hall was crowded. Dr. Dunsmore presided and addresses were presented to Mr. McCarthy from the Orange lodges and citizens. Rev. Dr. Wild made his first appearance on the McCarthy platform and made a stirring address, followed by O'Brien and McCarthy. At the latter's suggestion a candidate to support his policy was nominated, W. B. Freeman, reeve of Mornington, being unanimously selected. He accepted.

A North Bay dispatch says: It now transpires in connection with the steamer Fraser disaster that Wm. Storey, the dead engineer, had only been running a boat since last Thursday, that is five days, and was not a certified engineer. The law does not require that he should have been, as the Fraser was not classed as a passenger boat, but if the law allows the carrying of a body of men other than the crew on a non-passenger boat worked by an unqualified engineer, then the sooner the law is changed the better. At least that is the very freely expressed sentiment here.

## A TRIP TO AFRICA.

### Letter From J. F. Wardner on the Eve of Departure For Cape Town.

London, Oct. 27.—Special Correspondence of the Post-Intelligencer.—Left Vancouver Oct. 8th and arrived in Montreal via the Canadian Pacific on the 14th at 4:15 p. m., and sailed at once on the steamer Vancouver, of the Dominion line. I left Quebec on the 16th and arrived in Liverpool on the 24th, in the morning, reaching London, via Midland railway, at 4:30 p. m. On the 28th, to-morrow, I will sail on the steamer Scot, of the Union line, for Cape Town, and expect to reach there on Nov. 12th or 13th, and Johannesburg about Nov. 15th. The travel is immense. There are two steamship companies in the South African trade, employing 26 steamboats, rates about the same. On the Scot, which sails tomorrow, hundreds have been refused passage. Everything on her was booked a week ago. Every first-class berth on the steamer was taken.

In response to many inquiries I have compiled the following table of rates. The figures are correct up to date. Rates of passage on both Castle and Union lines, London to Cape Town, were raised in October:

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| **FIRST CLASS.** | |
| New York to London | $ 65 |
| London to Cape Town | 200 |
| Cape Town to Johannesberg | 58 |
| Total | $323 |
| **SECOND CLASS.** | |
| New York to London | $ 29 |
| London to Cape Town | 130 |
| Cape Town to Johannesberg | 40 |
| Total | $205 |
| **THIRD CLASS.** | |
| New York to London | $ 20 |
| London to Cape Town | 82 |
| Cape Town to Johannesberg | 21 |
| Total | $123 |

I will be pleased to answer all correspondence. Please direct letters to Johannesburg. I would suggest that a remittance be made in United States stamps or per postoffice order to cover any demands. There are many pamphlets published, correct maps and weekly newspapers giving all the latest on this wonderful country. Johannesburg is a city of 40,000 with 50 dividend-paying mines within a radius of ten miles, the product of which was 136,000 ounces in pure gold for the month of September. Johannesburg is the metropolis, and will probably have 100,000 population before the close of 1894. At Nylstroom, in the Waterberg district, there is great excitement over the recent gold discoveries. Local syndicates are being formed and a great number of prospectors are at work on this new reef which has been struck outside of the Myn pocket or belt.

Here in London South African stocks stand well and South African mines overshadow all the rest. I will write another letter from Cape Town and weekly letters from Johannesburg, or where I may travel in Africa.

J. F. WARDNER.

## THE CLAIMS FOR SEIZURES.

### They Are Soon to be Taken Up at Washington.

The appended dispatch from Washington relating to the claims of damages for seizures will prove interesting to sealing men, for it tells that their claims for seizures in the sea prior to 1891 are to be taken up:

Washington, D.C., Nov. 13.—The question of claims arising out of the seizure of British vessels in Behring Sea prior to the modus vivendi of 1891 will soon be the subject of negotiations with Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British minister. Following the custom usual in such matters, President Cleveland will no doubt make reference to it in his annual message to congress.

This question of damages between the two countries has been obscured in the public mind by the great mass of correspondence touching the general subject of jurisdiction in Behring Sea. While the board of arbitrators were sitting it was mutually agreed by the representatives of the United States and Great Britain that the matter of consequential damages affecting either the profits of the sealers or those of the American lessees of the Pribyloff islands during the continuance of the modus vivendi should be quashed. The only consideration, therefore, was as to the indemnity which the United States shall pay to the owners of the captured English sealers.

There are two modes of settling claims of this character; one is by a joint or fixed commission, or by a diplomatic agreement between the two countries. In the present case the latter will no doubt be chosen. The amount of indemnity claimed by the Canadian government has not been filed in full in the state department. It will not, however, exceed $500,000, although the tendency ordinarily is to amplify rather than correctly approximate damages, and recent telegrams from British Columbia state that claims aggregating a million dollars have been filed with the Dominion authorities at Ottawa. The claims will be rigidly scrutinized both by the secretary of state and the British ambassador. The sum agreed upon will probably not exceed $300,000, as in most cases the vessels were small and not expensively built.

The regulations for the future government of the sealing industry in the North Pacific will require legislation by the British parliament and the congress of the United States. The concurrence of the other maritime nations in that legislation will be asked until that shall have been done. Another modus vivendi between the United States and Great Britain will be necessary for the next sealing season, as without such agreement it would be impossible for vessels flying the flag of any other country to seal in these waters with impunity.

### Cork Honesty.

Whilst "Unionists" are continually saying so much in disparagement of the Irish character, it may be useful to quote from Dr. Trestrail's interesting "Short Story of a Long Life" the opinion the writer had formed of Irish honesty, after some years' residence in Cork. He says: "When I took a house in the Glanmire road, Cork, I was surprised to see how defective its ordinary defences were. Not a lock, a sash-fastener or a bolt was in efficient repair. When the attention of the agent was called to this matter and he was requested to have the needful repairs executed, he peremptorily refused. When I asked the reason he coolly replied that such repairs were wholly unnecessary. When I pointed out how easy it was for any burglar to break in and rob one he was quite astonished. 'Shure, ye don't think that in Cork anybody does such a thing. We leave that business to you folk in England.' I was obliged to incur some considerable expense in effecting these repairs, and after a few months' experience, found they were wholly unnecessary; and I may add that during my residence in Cork, with a population approaching 100,000, the vast majority of whom were poor and living in dwellings scarcely affording any means of securing decent domestic habits, I never heard of a burglary being committed there. Several times, when returning very late from visits paid to sick persons—especially sailors from Wales—the key of the latch-lock was left in the door, inadvertently, of course, all night. Nothing was easier than for persons seeing this to open the door, walk in, and help themselves to whatever they could lay their hands upon. But I was never robbed. I soon became possessed of the same feeling as my neighbors of the absolute security of life and property, and that without the ordinary safeguards universally adopted in England."—Huddersfield Examiner.

## SHALL WOMEN SMOKE?

Shall women smoke? Why should she not, if she is minded to?
Why shouldn't women do the things that lordly man may do?
He makes her stand on cable-cars, a-clinging to a strap,
E'en though she step upon his feet, or tumble in his lap.

She's entered into politics; she practises at law;
She's taken up the surgeon's work with lancet an with saw.
Some of them play at football—so we're told; and there are some
Who on their safety bicycles like Borens do hum.

Man makes her do a thousand things that once were his to do.
If she assumes his duties, pray why not his pleasures too?
She wears his collars, and her clothes are cut quite as his are:
If she be mannish in her dress, why not have her cigar?

And furthermore, man has encroached on woman's sphere of late.
He's taken on dress-making at a truly wondrous rate;
And some men's clubs for gossip beat the Dorcas out of sight.
To thus encroach, and yield no jot, most surely is not right.

Of course 'twill not be pleasant, just at first, to see Minette,
Like any dudeling, puffing on a horrid cigarette;
Nor will the sight be of a strongly pleasurable type
When first we see our daughters lighting up their evening pipe.

But men get used to all things, be it soon or be it late,
And this, like other problems, must fulfil its settled fate.
'Tis very safe to prophesy the time is not so far
When women all will smoke who live beyond their first cigar.

—Gaston V. Drake.

## JUST FOR FUN.

Even a lean person may fall plump into the water.

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Jagson says many a man's reputation wouldn't know his character by sight.

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The fellow who married in the Ferris wheel ought to make a good all-round husband.

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A poet sighs, "Where is the summer foliage?" This is an easy one. It is off on leaves of absence.

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New Girl—What does your papa like for breakfast?

Little Mabel—He always likes most anything we hasn't got.

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"Tommy," said his teacher, on the first day of school, "have you forgotten all you know?" "Well," replied Tommy, doubtfully, "I don't exactly know all I've forgotten."

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Johnnie—Mamma, this book says knowledge is power.

Mamma—And it is, my child.

Johnnie—No, mamma, it isn't. I know there is a pie in the pantry, but I can't get it.

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Reporting progress: Visitor—So your brother is taking lessons on the violin. Is he making progress?

Little Girl—Yes'm; he got so now we can tell whether he is tuning or playing.

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Eastern man (to resident of Arizona)—Why don't you get out of this country?

Fewclothes—Don't no train river stop yere, stranger; an' ef I done try ter flag one I'd be taken for a train-robber an' filled full o' lead.

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He asked fair Janette's father for her hand,
And swore the maid he truly madly loved;
But, later on, he swore in other ways
To learn how much it cost to keep her gloved.

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ARE CURED BY LONDON
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### SHORT LOCALS.

**Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.**

—Pocket and table cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

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—Samples of new steel plate calendars for 1894 can be seen at J. Johnston & Co.'s.

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—There will be an evangelistic service at the James Bay Methodist church at 7:30 this evening.

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—Rev. J. E. Coombes will deliver an illustrated lecture in Temperance hall this evening on temperance.

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—The annual meeting of the Royal Canadian Packing Company has been postponed until Tuesday next.

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—The fire department is having considerable trouble over the crossing of wires. The cause has not been discerned.

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—Razors and shaving materials of best Sheffield make at Fox's, 78 Government street. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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—The date of the joint social and dance of the A. O. U. W. lodges has been fixed for next Monday night.

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—A surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. McBrady at their home on Princess avenue last night. A pleasant time was spent.

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—The B. C. Good Templar, published at New Westminster, and the organ of the order in the province, has made its appearance.

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—James McBride stole an overcoat from J. Ackerman, who has rooms at the Vancouver house, and was sentenced to two months' hard labor.

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—The young people of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church gave a social at the Oak Bay mission last night. Rev. A. Chisholm was heartily welcomed.

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—The first of a series of social dances was given last night by the young people of St. James's church. It was well attended and proved very enjoyable.

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—In the police court Frank Stewart, drunk, was discharged. First offence. Johnny Holmes, for having a bottle of whisky in his possession, was fined $25 and costs.

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—Edward Harris and Jim, West Coast Indian, drunks, were each fined $5 and costs in the police court this morning. John Smith was charged with supplying whiskey to a klootchman. Continued till Thursday.

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—Dr. Edgar Parker pleaded guilty in the police court to practising dentistry without a license. At the instance of Dr. Jones, president of the board of examiners of the Dental Association, the lowest possible fine, $25, was inflicted.

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—The City of Kingston was two hours late getting away last night. She brought in 25 carloads of freight, of which 20 carloads were for Brackman & Ker. She took away the last of the freight of the steamship Warrimoo, which was destined for the Sound.

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—It was discovered late yesterday afternoon that between Saturday night and Tuesday morning the store of A. Gregg & Son had been entered and robbed. Four bolts of very fine beaver cloth, valued at $100, were stolen. The thief, evidently a Chinaman, from his tracks in the rear premises, entered through a back window. The case is in the hands of the police.

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—Calvary Baptist church choir last night produced the cantata "Samuel" before a large audience. The production was well rendered. After a short intermission the glee club sang a very fine chorus. H. A. Howell's voice was heard with good effect in the song "Out on the Deep." Miss Lawson told the story of the persecutions of the New England Quakers in a recitation. J. G. Brown and Mr. Collister also sang solos, and G. J. Burnett gave several selections on the organ.

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—Perseverance lodge, I. O. G. T., elected officers for the ensuing quarter at a meeting held last night. The officers elected are as follows: Bro. Russell, C. T.; Sister Bruce, V. T.; Sister Russell, S. J. T.; Bro. Watts, secretary; Sister Newbiggan, assistant secretary-treasurer; Brother McKenzie, financial secretary; Sister McDonald, treasurer; Brother Cormack, marshal; Sister Baker, guard; Brother Collins, sentinel; Sister Eckford, chaplain; Brother R. H. Bassett, P. C. T. Saanich lodge, No. 38, paid a fraternal visit last night.

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—Tuesday's Port Townsend Leader says: John W. Goss and R. C. Ripley are two business-like looking gentlemen who registered at the Delmonico hotel. Both are on their way to Yokohama and when they were informed that there was no steamer to Victoria on Mondays and that the Empress of Japan was due to leave that city at eight o'clock this evening upon her passage across the Pacific, the two Spokane gentlemen, nothing daunted, at once chartered the tug J. E. Boyden, lying at one of the city docks, to convey them to Victoria. Their passage to that city cost them just exactly $15 each. The regular fare is $2.

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—The Single Tax club meets this evening at 8 at the Pioneer hall, Broad street. The public are invited.

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—The funeral of the late William Wall of Spring Ridge took place from St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral this morning.

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—The ladies of the First Presbyterian church hold their social on Wednesday, Nov. 22nd, instead of Monday, Nov. 20th, as stated in yesterday's issue.

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—The choir of the Centennial Methodist church will give a grand concert on the last Wednesday in December. Clement Rowlands will have the direction of the concert and he intends to make it one of the best ever given in the city. Preparations for it are already under way.

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—A week from to-night Postmaster Noah Shakespeare will deliver a lecture with limelight views at the Centennial Methodist church. The subject will be "Around the World in One Hundred Minutes," and the lecturer will no doubt make a very interesting talk. A fine limelight apparatus has been secured for the entertainment.

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—The funeral of the late Officer Hooper of the city police force will take place on Sunday under the charge of the local Free Masons. The casket will be taken to Masonic Temple on Saturday afternoon. The Knights of Pythias, Foresters and Sons of England will also turn out. Hooper belonged to all these societies.

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—The Norwegian bark Solgiyt, 35 days from Hiogo, Japan, to Port Townsend, in ballast, had a narrow escape from destruction below Tatoosh light on Saturday night. Captain Rasmussen, her master, says she drifted in during a calm. Anchor was dropped, and the tug Tyee, from Neah bay, took the vessel out of danger. She is to load wheat at Seattle for the United Kingdom.

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—The provincial board of horticulture has issued a poster relative to the importation of insect infected plants, shrubs or trees. The poster will be placed in conspicuous places in public buildings throughout the province. The poster cites the clauses of the horticultural act forbidding the importation of insect infected plants, shrubs and trees and empowering members of the horticultural board to enter into any premises to see whether the act is being complied with.

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—The Roman Catholic diocese of British Columbia and Alaska will shortly be divided. Archbishop Gross, of the archdiocese of Portland, has decided that the territory is too extensive for one bishop to attend to. A meeting of the bishops of the province of Portland will be held upon the return of Bishop Lemmens from Europe, when three names will be submitted to the sacred college from which to appoint a vicar-apostolic for Alaska. It is said the dignity will be conferred either on Father Tosi, S.J., of the Yukon Indian missions, or on Father Althorf of Sitka.

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—The Companions of the Forest gave a concert and dance in Philharmonic hall last night. Twenty ladies in uniform gave a good exhibition of hoop drill and the club swinging by Miss Barker was excellent. The following musical programme was rendered: Song, Miss Mabel Lyons; song, Mrs. H. L. Salmon; song, Miss Lillie Lyons; tableau "No Rose Without a Thorn"; song, Mr. Wilkes; song, Mr. Dudgeon; recitation, Mr. Hall; tableau "The Quarrel, the Duel, the Result." Mrs. Lang was presented with an handsome gold souvenir and dancing was then indulged in, the Richardson orchestra supplying the music.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams of Scoresby street have received an account of the terrible death of their nephew, Arthur Charles Gray. Mr. Gray, who is an extensive land owner and gentleman former living at Larbonne farm, Iver, South Bucks, England, had among stock a bull which suddenly became fractious, attacking Mr. Gray and injuring him seriously. No one saw the accident, and the unfortunate gentleman, to escape the further fury of the enraged animal, in his terrible condition had to ford a river and walk a quarter of a mile to his residence. He died on the following day. The same mail brings to Mr. and Mrs. Williams news from a near lady relative at Brighton, who has just completed her 100th birthday in good health.

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—"Alvin Joslin" is a play showing the trials and tribulations, all more or less amusing, of a green Vermont farmer on his first visit to the Metropolis, which leads him into all kinds of difficulties and keeps the audience in high good humor for three solid hours. The play has been presented in all the large cities on almost numberless occasions, and the business done by it on each occasion has been phenomenal, proving both the enduring popularity of the play and its principal player. The average existence of a drama nowadays is about six years. It is then regarded as a chestnut and its receipts are on the doubtful list. Not so with "Alvin Joslin," however. Mr. Davis will be supported by a well trained company, and "Alvin Joslin" will be placed on the boards with unusual liberality.

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Daggers, swords and air rifles, kid dolls, flannel dolls, hair stuffed dolls, talking dolls, crying dolls, laughing dolls, and dolls, rocking horses, hobby horses, platform horses, wooden horses and velocipedes, doll carriages, express wagons, wheelbarrows and every description of toys and fancy goods for Xmas presents known at Russell & McDonald's, 134 Douglas street.

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**Dedication and Opening.**

The managers of the Protestant Orphans' Home met this afternoon and made further arrangements for the formal opening and dedication of the new home, which takes place at 2:30 on Saturday. By kind permission of Admiral Stephenson, C. B., the flagship band will play during the afternoon. There will also be several vocal selections. The handsome building just completed is well worthy a visit, and in addition to seeing the new home visitors will enjoy good music. Carriages will meet the cars at Hillside avenue and convey passengers to the home for 10 cents, so that there will be no trouble in reaching the home.

**Candidates for Mayor.**

Hon. Robert Beaven will be a candidate for re-election for mayor at the elections to be held in January. It is understood an endeavor is being made by several gentlemen, among whom are some of those whose names have been mentioned as candidates, to induce R. P. Rithet to allow himself to be nominated. A dispatch was this morning sent to Mr. Rithet asking him to become a candidate, but so far no answer has been received. Although he has refused several times to become a candidate, some of his friends are of opinion that he will this time consent to stand. The requisition asking Mr. Teague to stand is being largely signed.

**The Walla Walla's Passengers.**

The steamer Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco this morning. The cabin passengers from Victoria were: E. Manfield, J. H. Cunard, F. Piners, Mrs. E. Winkle, Mrs. M. D. Marsh, Mrs. M. Preble and child, M. McNamara, Mrs. E. G. Harvey, Mrs. Stevenson and child, W. Derfield and wife, J. M. Stowell, W. J. Trott, J. E. Harvey, W. Field, L. Robinson, A. Metcalfe, E. Border and wife, Miss M. K. Ireland, Miss F. J. Ireland, Mrs. M. F. Hewson, John McKay, wife and child, Miss S. Norman, C. R. Carmody and wife, P. E. Radcliffe, Mrs. Staines, Miss Staines, A. H. Matthews, J. E. W. Mitchell, Mrs. Chas. Bronner, F. C. Batchellor, J. B. Cameron and wife, and A. W. Coleman.

**Sale of Work.**

Notwithstanding the large attendance at the sale of work which opened yesterday in the lecture room of the Metropolitan Methodist church, the members of the ladies' aid society had numerous articles to offer for sale to-day. The success which crowned the affair yesterday induced a larger number of ladies to attend to-day. The sale of work was conducted by Mrs. Wier, the president, and the secretary, Mrs. Jenkins. They were ably assisted by all the members of the society. The booths were in charge of Mesdames Earle, Hooper, Teague, McCullough, Griffin, Pickard, Watkins, Dee, Siddall, Archibald, Wier, Raynor, Colwell, Armstrong, Bullen, Sargison and Sherit, and Misses Jennie McCullough, Josie Spencer and Elford. Last evening the Sunday school choir, assisted by Miss Drury and Miss Fox, presented a musical programme.

Misses Lizzie Watkins and Sadie Durham presided at a lemonade stand, which was well patronized.

**Little Trouble Expected.**

It was reported a few days ago that an attempt was to be made to-day to raise the San Pedro. At high tide to-day there were no signs of the attempt being made, and no one seems to know when it will be made. One of the gentlemen interested, who was in town on Sunday, remarked, in the language of the small boy, "We have got a pudding." This is supposed to mean that Moran Bros. do not expect any difficulty in raising the big collier. But as a steamboat captain remarked to-day, "both Whitelaw and Lachlan were of the same opinion before they failed to lift the steamer off Brotchie ledge." Everything at the wreck is being done in a secret manner, the rule seemingly being, "No admittance except on business." It is known, however, that a tremendous effort is to be made to raise the Pedro, as the wreckers realize that if they do succeed it will be a big feather in their caps.

### BRIEF LOCALS.

—The firm of J. A. T. Caton & Co. has been dissolved, Mr. Caton retiring. The business will be carried on by Carl Loewenburg.

—A letter has been received from Bishop Lemmens saying he would leave Rome on Oct. 28th and would return to his old home in Limburg, Holland. The bishop is expected home about New Year's.

—William T. Bragg, one of the principal owners of the schooner Agnes MacDonald, a hunter on the vessel, married in San Francisco this morning Miss Maggie Woodill, eldest daughter of Mrs. Woodill, of the Revere house of this city. The vessel is displaying all her bunting in honor of the event.

—A party is being organized in Victoria to go to the South African gold fields. It is the intention of the party to organize and charter or purchase a schooner to take them to the Dark Continent. A large number of miners left the Pacific coast this fall for Africa, being attracted by the reports of rich strikes in that country.

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The sealing schooners are displaying their bunting again to-day. This time it is for the marriage of James Cessford, a hunter on the schooner Casco, and Miss Grace Campbell. The wedding took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Bay street. Rev. D. Macrae officiated. Miss Oldershaw and Miss Cessford supported the bride and Dr. A. R. Baker acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Cessford will live on John street. A number of friends and relatives were present at the wedding, and after the ceremony spent several very pleasant hours with the newly-married couple.

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## INGERSOLL ON VIVISECTION.

### The Great Orator Inveighs Against the Practice Vehemently.

The ardent speech delivered by Mr. Philip G. Peabody, of Boston, at the annual meeting of the Victoria Street Anti-Vivisection Society, London, has been published as a tract. The following preface is by Colonel Ingersoll:

There are three mysteries about vivisection.

First—That any human being should have thought of dissecting a living animal.

Second—That a human being should have actually sought within the quivering flesh with knives and probes for the nerves of pain; and

Third—That the people of a civilized country allow their fellow citizens to commit this useless and heartless crime.

The cruelty is unspeakable and the knowledge gained is worthless. Not one fact of importance to the human race has been ascertained by these scientific assassins. On the other hand, men standing at the top of the medical profession declare that vivisection have hindered and delayed the progress of surgery. In vain the poor animals have been blistered and scalded, roasted and frozen, flayed and poisoned. In vain have their nerves been torn and divided, their intestines and kidneys and hearts taken from their quivering bodies. They have been tortured unto death for naught. All that can be said is that the agonies inflicted have hardened the hearts of the wretches who have inflicted them and excited the pity and detestation of civilized people.

It is impossible to imagine an argument in favor of this barbarism—the savagery of science. Nothing can be said in its defence.

What the gladiatorial show was to the Romans, what the Inquisition was to the Catholic church, vivisection is to the scientific pretenders of to-day. Back of them all was and is the same infamous spirit. The gladiators were foreigners, the victims of the Inquisition were heretics, and those that suffer the agonies of vivisection are animals.

Is it possible that what we call civilization is a veneer or a varnish? Does the tiger or serpent of cruelty crouch or coil in the hearts of men?

It is bad enough that we kill animals for food; horrible enough that life feeds on life.

But there is almost an infinite difference between vivisection and sudden, painless death, between the man who kills quickly and the vivisector who tortures as long as nerves can feel.

With great force and feeling, with hot and indignant words, Mr. Peabody in his eloquent speech denounces these scientific criminals. In justification of his words he gives the facts within his knowledge and experience. It is to be hoped that millions will read his brave and tender words for the poor victims and his denunciations of the criminals. Most people are in ignorance of the real facts. They generally suppose that the animals operated on are under the influence of ether or chloroform. As a matter of fact, the vivisectionists care nothing for the pain they inflict. Pity is considered as childish—as something liable to interfere with scientific methods. How monstrous, how terrible it all is; how fiendish, and yet it is pretended that all these horrors are inflicted for the sake of man!

A physician, a surgeon, should not only have a good head, but he should have a good heart. He should sympathize with his patient. The doctor who practices vivisection has a heart of stone. He is unfit to have the care and keeping of a life. He is a kind of wild beast. He has made useless experiments upon the living flesh of the helpless. He has committed a thousand crimes without an intelligent purpose. Of what use is it to find out how long an animal will live after it has been flayed? Whether it can survive the loss of a kidney, or a lung or of part of its brain? Why should the same cruel experiments be made thousands of times after the result is known? And if anything of value could be found by vivisection why not the poor animal first be made insensible to pain? There are no words strong enough, bitter enough, with which to express my abhorrence, hatred and loathing of vivisection—of its cruelty and cowardice. To torture the lower will never civilize the higher. The vivisector is of less value to the world than the animal he destroys.

### Napoleon and Waterloo.

Napoleon said many of his officers deserted previous to the battle of Waterloo, and in speaking of the French nation he said that the lower orders of the people were the most sincere, the most firm, and at the same time the best dispositioned in the world; but in proportion as you rose the class their characters became the worse, and above the bourgeois they were too fickle and volatile to be depended upon at all. They had one principle for to-day and another for to-morrow, according to the circumstances of the moment, and he attributed his Waterloo disasters solely to the disaffected officers of his army.

In talking of the battle he assured the admiral that he had never for a moment mistaken the Prussians for Grouchy's division, but that he knew early in the day that the Prussians were closing in on his flank; that this, however, gave him little or no uneasiness, as he depended on General Grouchy also coming with him at the same time, and he had ordered a sufficient force to oppose the check. And he added that he considered the battle throughout the day to be very much in his favor, but that so soon as it was dusk the disaffected officers promulgated the cry of "Sauve qui peut!" which spread such confusion and alarm throughout his whole line that it became impossible to counteract it or to rally his troops situated as they were.

But, he said, had it been daylight an hour longer, he was positive the result would have been very different; he further said that had he been able, when the alarm and confusion first took place, to have placed himself in a conspicuous situation in front it would have insured the rallying of his troops around him; but, as if was, treachery and darkness combined and rendered his ruin inevitable.

He said that on the morning of June 18 he did not entertain the most distant idea that the Duke of Wellington would have willingly allowed him to have brought the English army to a decisive battle, and consequently he had been the more anxious to push on, and if possible to force it, considering nothing else would afford him a chance of surmounting the difficulties with which he was surrounded; but, he added, could he have beaten the English army he was positive scarce one would have escaped being killed or taken, in which case the Prussian army (having been already beaten on the 16th), must have made a precipitate retreat, or would most probably have dispersed, and would certainly have been entirely disorganized.—From a Manuscript Diary, Century Magazine.

### The Ruins of Sinjerli.

Dr. von Luschen, the director of the three expeditions which have been sent out to northern Syria by the Oriental Museum at Berlin, has at length published the first portion of his official account, which is noticed at length in the Academy, London, of October 14. The chief of the monuments that has been disinterred is a monolith of Esar-haddon, erected soon after his conquest of Egypt. Among the other monuments are three of the highest possible interest, as they contain inscriptions in relief of a very early date in the Aramaic branch of the Phoenician alphabet.

This monolith of Esar-haddon gives us new information in regard to the Assyrian conquest of Egypt. It tells us how the Assyrians followed Tirhakah, of Egypt and Ethiopia, from Iskhupri to Memphis, a march of 15 days, smiting the flying Egyptians day after day, and how Tirhakah himself was five times struck with the point of the spear. It further tells us how Memphis was taken and destroyed after a siege of only half a day, and how Usanakhuru (User-n-Hor), the son of Tirhakah, whose name has not been previously known, was among the captives sent to Assyria.

Perhaps the most interesting point connected with the monolith is that Tirhakah is represented upon it as a negro, along with another king whose Syrian dress seems to suggest that he is Baal of Tyre. He is kneeling before Esarhaddon who holds a cord, one end of which is fastened to a hook in the captive's lip.

The Aramaic monuments, if we may so describe them, have already been spoken of in the Academy. Two of them are of great interest. On of these, which was discovered in Gershin, is dedicated to the God Hadad by Panammu I., the son of Qaral, "King of Ya'di." The other, which is of later date, was found in a deserted Turkish cemetery close to Sinjirli, was erected by Bar-Rekeb, the son of Panammu II., the son of Bar-Tsur, in memory of his father, the vassal and tributary of "Tiglath-pileser, King of Assyria," and it was placed under the protection of Hadad, El, Rekeb-el, Shemesh, and all the other deities of Ya'di. Bar-Rekeb states that the Assyrian King had given his father certain cities in the neighboring state of Gurgum, and that Panammu had been afterwards murdered; the assassins were, however, punished by Tiglath-pileser, who restored Bar-Rekeb to his father's throne. In a third inscription Bar-Rekeb entitles himself "King of Sama'l, servant of Tiglath-pileser, lord of the four zones."

### Why the Body Should be Cultivated.

The important subject of physical culture is not considered as it ought to be by the majority of men and women, and there is almost absolute ignorance of the make-up of the body on the part of even intelligent people, with little desire for such knowledge, although largely on the treatment given to the body. Mental acquirements are blindly worshipped, while the essential question of health receives little thought and hence it is almost impossible to find men in the ordinary walks of active life, at middle age, who do not complain of impaired health and want of vital force.

Without a sound body one cannot have a sound mind, and, unless proper attention is given to the culture of the body, good health cannot be expected. Plato is said to have called a certain man lame because he exercised the mind while the body was allowed to suffer. This is done to an alarming extent nowadays. Brain-workers, as a rule, exercise no part of the body except the head, and consequently suffer from indigestion, palpitation of the heart, insomnia, and other ills, which, if neglected generally prove fatal. Brilliant and successful men are constantly obliged to give up work through the growing malady of nervous prostration; the number of those who succumb to it has increased to an enormous extent of late years, and that of suicides hardly less. Few will question that this is owing to overworking the brain and the neglect of body culture. Vitality becomes impaired and strength consumed by mental demands, which are nowadays raised to a perilous height, and it is only by careful attention to physical development and by judicious bodily exercise that the brain-worker can counteract the mental strain. Women rarely consider the importance of physical culture, yet they need physical training almost more than men do. Thousands of our young women are unfit to become wives or mothers who might be strong and beautiful if they gave a short time daily to physical development. —Wilton Tournier in November Lippincott.

### A Piper in a Predicament.

There was a martial air, says a London exchange, about Kenneth Mackenzie, a stalwart Caledonian, as he strode into the Westminster police court with the bagpipes under his arm and looked defiantly round in search of the man who had dared to tell the police that "there was nae music in the pipes." Kenneth is a "thorough skirler" on the instrument, which, after haggis, is the proudest boast of his native land, and there is even a probability that he could give the famous Shon MacShon a long start and win. He had been giving the people of Vauxhall Bride road a taste of what music really is, and a clergyman who resided in Bessborough gardens did not approve of it. He therefore ordered Kenneth away, but the sturdy Scotsman declined to go, and proceeded to argue, on the authority of an unpublished manuscript found in Noah's Ark, that the bagpipes were originally played by Adam for the amusement of Eve before Satan invented the piano-organ. The dispute resulted in the Highlander being summoned to court to answer a charge of "persistently playing a musical instrument, to wit, the bagpipes." He was prepared to argue the matter from one end of the gamut to the other, but as the prosecutor did not appear, Kenneth was triumphantly dismissed. As he left the court he addressed to the invisible complainant the words: "I piped unto him, but he canna dance."

### Rheumatism.

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### Ghosts at Hampton Court.

The ghosts at Hampton court palace still are said to frighten the inhabitants and officials of the place, and even visitors, it is declared, are not exempt, several of them having terminated their visits abruptly owing to the noises they have heard. A resident in the palace sends to the Daily Graphic an account of an apparition seen by an attendant in the gardens, who was sitting on a bench waiting for the inspector to pass on his nightly rounds when he suddenly felt a hand laid upon his face, and, looking up, saw a tall, pale lady dressed in gray. He sprang up at once, but she vanished before his eyes, and the shock caused by the apparition was so great that he had to resign his post. He became so nervous that he was absolutely afraid to remain in the gardens at night.

Nor are the ghosts confined to the garden, for a few nights ago two of the maid servants, fancying they smelt something burning, went down one of the staircases in the middle of the night and met a tall, pale lady with "a reflected light in her face" and dressed in black. She, too, vanished through one of the Queen's gates, though the door itself was shut and no footsteps could be heard. Other servants in the palace have been visited by these royal ghosts. One servant declares that she felt something come and touch her face in the dark when she was asleep in bed, and another maid sleeping in the next room called out to her to "leave off walking about her room," as she heard footsteps moving about. Several visitors to the palace has noticed extraordinary noises in a particular room, and only a few months ago two ladies were standing talking near this room at about 11:30 one night when they heard a loud crash and saw a brilliant light flash through the room; a sight which they could not account for in any way. The Graphic's informant is positive that no practical joker is the author of the disturbances, as has been suggested in some quarters.

### End of a French Bully.

A rather odd affair occurred in the provinces the other day, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. It seems that in a certain small peasant community there existed a man who was the terror of the place. He exacted tribute from all the small farmers in the shape of provisions and wine, while the poorer peasants he let off with a few days of labor in his fields. He was a perfect Hercules in size and strength, and had been a soldier, but left the army to lead this more easy-going existence. No one dared to refuse his exactions, for if they did they were roundly thrashed. The rural policeman, when complained to, went to remonstrate with Murat, which was the name of this peasant person, and was so severely beaten that he was in bed for a week.

No one dared to invoke the aid of the law, for Murat threatened terrible reprisals. The victims wrote anonymous denunciations, it is true, but when the court ordered investigations no one would dare to testify against their tyrant. This fin-de-siecle lord of the manor seemed destined to rule for years over serfs who had got used to his domination, and called him Prince Murat, and endured him as one endures the hail and the phylloxera, because they did not see how they could do otherwise. Unfortunately for the Hercules in question, however, he fell foul of one of his serfs, a lazy old man, and left him for dead by the wayside.

Naturally the victim refused to prosecute, whereupon his son, who was a sturdy man and a great poacher, sought out Prince Murat and expressed his adverse opinion of the princely personage's conduct. He, objecting to criticism, struck the insulting creature with his heavy club, whereupon the poacher, whose name was Court, placidly shot him thrugh the head with his gun, which was a necessary tool of his trade.

The assassin then walked calmly off, and meeting the rural policeman, asked him politely to arrest him, as he had killed the "Prince." Whereupon the policeman fell upon his neck and embraced him with tears of joy. The assassin was escorted to the jail by a species of triumphal procession of all the inhabitants of the village, and being promptly acquitted on the ground of having acted in self-defence, the grateful neighbors clubbed together and presented him with a handsome sum of money as a small token of their gratitude.

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### A Tea Plantation in Java.

Although the coffee, spices, indigo, and other tropical products of Java have for many years formed a very important item of European commerce, Java tea has as yet attracted very little attention and is comparatively unknown in the American market. The tea plant was first introduced into Java in 1826, but it is only of recent years that much attention has been paid to its cultivation.

The island of Java is one of the most fertile places in the world, and may well be termed the garden of the far east. The principal tea plantations are situated in the Preanger Regency (West Java) on the slopes of the mountain ranges, from 4,000 to 6,000 feet above sea level.

The tea planter has first to clear the virgin forest by cutting and burning the timber and then preparing the ground for the young plants. The tea seed has first to be soaked in water before it is sown in the nursery beds, all of which have to be thatched or roofed in to protect the young shoots from the sun. When the seedlings are about four inches high they are planted out in rows from four to five feet apart in some places. A space of 4x4 feet is allowed for each tree, which gives about 2,722 plants to the acre. As the young trees increase in size and shoot up the young shoots are from time to time cut or trimmed down to make them spread, so that when the trees are about three years old, when the plucking for market commences, they are on an average only about four feet high.

In China the tea is only gathered four times in each year, but in the hot, moist climate of Java, where all vegetation flourishes in full tropical luxuriance, the picking of the tea leaf goes on all the year round, and every tree requires plucking at least once in every fortnight, though of course the growth is much quicker during the rainy season (which extends form the middle of September to the end of March) than later in the season, during the dry months of the year.

Great care is taken in plucking the leaves. Only the young shoots are taken, the largest leaves available for picking never exceeding two and a half inches in length. The leaves are nipped off with the thumb nail, and must never be bruised or torn off. A good coolie will pick about twenty-five pounds of leaves per day. The quality of the tea depends upon the size of the leaves. The youngest shoots picked make the best pekoe.

As soon as the tea is gathered the drying process commences. The leaves are first spread out in large trays or chalances of basket work, and placed in the sun or drying shed to be first withered before being put through the drying machines. Formerly the rolling and drying was done by hand, but now the curing of tea has become quite a factory industry.

There is a large building, a curing shed, where the machines complete the process of drying or curing and rolling the leaves. The drying machines are constantly kept at a temperature of from 220 to 250 degrees Fahrenheit. Placed inside these dryers there is an endless chain with flappers attached constantly revolving, somewhat on the principle that a dredge or a grain elevator is worked on, only the motion is horizontal instead of vertical. The flappers lift the leaves up and keeping them circulating through the hot air until they are perfectly dry.

The sieve or winnower is a large barrel-shaped machine made of fine wire gauze or meshing, and kept constantly revolving. The tea is placed inside this machine to separate the leaves and keep them from sticking together or clogging during curing.

All the labor employed in the tea gardens of Java is obtained from the villages in the districts. It is not regulated by what is termed culture system, but still it is in a measure controlled by the native prince or noble of the district and by the head men of the vilages. The Parakan Sala estate employs about 900 men and 1,500 women. The wages of the women are twenty-five "guilder" cents (equal to about fifteen cents of American gold); while some of the men receive as much as twenty-four cents of our money for their day's work. This remuneration may seem very small from an American point of view, but in a country like Java, where nature is so bountiful that actual want is absolutely unknown, the natives, as a rule, are happy and prosperous.

The Javanese, as a rule, takes a true philosophical view of life. His wants are few and easily supplied, and he works only to supply those wants; for he argues—and with good reason, too—that the idea of killing himself with hard work for the sake of hoarding dollars he cannot use or take with him is very absurd. So, as long as he has enough for his simple wants and little pleasures, he is quite content to give his poorer neighbors a chance, whenever he can.

Tea appears to flourish in volcanic soil, for most of the tea gardens are situated on the slopes of volcanic mountains. The Sinagar tea gardens occupy the slope of Gunong Gede, one of its largest active volcanoes.—Henry Charles Everill.

### Russian Camps in Galicia.

An opportunity has just been afforded me, writes a Jassy correspondent of the London Standard, of collecting from an eye witness who has exceptional opportunities of seeing what is going on, the following trustworthy information as to the military preparations in the Russian districts facing the Austrian provinces of Galicia and Bukovina: "Two years ago," he states, "when I travelled through this part, I informed you of the remarkable increase of Russian troops quartered in the different outlying districts compared with the number there two years previously—that is, four years ago. Large buildings, which are used as barracks, as well as immense granaries, have lately been constructed, and are to be met with along the whole line of the frontier.

"I never entered a village during the whole three months I was travelling in this district without finding soldiers quartered therein; in fact, the whole country has the appearance of a vast military camp. In addition to the various lines running up to the Austro-Russian frontier, two more branch lines have been constructed, connecting it with the military district of Kieff. The frontier guard has been fully equipped on a war footing, and it now forms a permanent advance guard, ready to march a few hours after a declaration of war."

The military preparations are not confined to the above mentioned district, as, along the Roumanian frontier the Russian towns of Vilkoko, Kilia, Tutchkoff and Jalpuch, situated at the mouth of the Danube, have received reinforcements of troops. Reni, which is at the month of the Pruth, is becoming a strongly fortified town, and during the past month several heavy guns have been forwarded there for mounting on the fortifications. Russia has increased her army on the Austro-Hungarian frontier during the last three years by 65 battalions of infantry, 57 squadrons of cavalry, and 23 batteries or artillery. This does not include the additional troops which have been sent to reinforce the already large army quartered in Russian Poland, or the reinforcements dispatched to the military districts of Kieff, Odessa, Sebastopol and other parts of Southern Russia, which have been drawn from the Caucasus.

It is clear that, in the event of a European struggle Russia will take the field fully equipped and ready for the renewal of the contest which was averted in 1878 by the congress of Berlin.

### An Accomplished Swindler.

A swindler of more than ordinary ability and daring who some years ago operated in Canada has been plying his trade right and left in England recent.

This clever rascal is known as Wm. Griffiths, but has numerous aliases. About 1882 Griffiths and others of the same class visited Montreal. Griffiths, representing himself as a gentleman just arrived from England, presented a bank note for £1,200 at the bank of Hontreal. The note was cashed. Needless to say it was afterwards discovered to be a forgery. Similar notes for larger and smaller accounts were passed here and in Quebec and other cities by the gang. Griffiths served a term of imprisonment in California and New York, and after his release went to England.

Here he represented himself as one of the owners of the Standard Oil Company. He was feted and courted in London. His knowledge of the Standard Oil Company's affairs was marvellous. He could talk for hours on the subject. He occupied the most costly apartments at the Savoy, Metropole and Victoria hotels. He entertained and was entertained in royal style. He visited Yorkshire and was a guest of Mr. Sampson Fox, one of the largest steel manufacturers in England. He was taken about in broughams, a banquet was given in his honor by the notables of the place and the mayor made a speech congratulating Mr. Fox on having such a distinguished friend. Griffiths returned to London, borrowed some money and then disappeared. The sorrowing victims have called in the Scotland Yard detectives to hunt up their missing friend. English gentlemen and the hotels, clubs, tailors and every American of prominence in London are losers.

"Big Griff," as the police know him best, once toured Australia on the same plan and came back with over $150,000 to the good. But his most remarkable escapade was some years ago, when Lord Ashburton came to New York and then went to Mexico. When his lordship was well out of the way Griffiths crossed the continent, calling himself Lord Ashburton. At every town where he stopped he was given a reception and quietly borrowed all the money he needed. At San Francisco a banquet was given in his honor by the mayor, and Griffiths boasts that to this day the truth has not dawned on the deluded 'Friscoites.

Griffiths is a fine looking man, about 38 years of age, six feet in height, and built like an athlete.

### English Country Home Life.

The country house season is now in full swing, and will continue so up to Christmas, says a correspondent of the New York Herald. Everybody who has any pretense to being in society is now entertaining a houseful of guests or being entertained in a more or less lavish manner, according to the style of the house, the inclination of the host or hostess and the tastes of those invited.

English country house life—that part of it which relates to the entertainment of visitors—differs in circumstance and degree as much as one thing can differ from another and shows as many gradations as it is possible to conceive of.

From the Queen's "Saturday to Monday" or "dine and sleep parties" or the duke's houseful for a "big shoot" down to the humble vicarage or even farm house friend invited to occupy the single guest chamber, is a long distance, and gives opportunity for the study of many different kinds of living and amusement.

It is in those partaking of the hospitality of a great house and the life they lead there that the most interest is shown—but even in these there is the greatest difference, both as regards the guests themselves and the amusements provided for them.

Guests invited to Windsor castle generally arrive an hour or so before dinner and depart next morning. They assemble at a quarter to nine, and when joined by the Queen go in to dinner, after which in the drawing room the Queen addresses a few remarks to each visitor in turn, and then retires to her private apartments. The guests then chat with each other, listen to music, or have a round game.

At Sandringham there is less formality. The guests are invited for longer, but never for very long. They arrive at tea time, and after being weighed and writing their names in the visitors' book, enjoy a cup of delicious tea prepared by the fair hands of the Princess herself. A servant then shows them to their rooms, from which they do not emerge until dinner. The evening is spent in conversation and music.

In the morning the guests breakfast alone and amuse themselves by walking, driving or viewing the stables, which contain many beautiful horses. At lunch they say "Good Morning" to their host and hostess. The afternoon is passed in making excursions, driving or tennis, perfect freedom being given to each guest to please himself.

Of course all is different during the shooting season. The life then is about the same as in any other large country house. An invitation to Sandringham is a much coveted prize for those who have ambition to "get on" in English society, for if you have been there you can go anywhere.

### Mark Twain's Latest.

A magazine is usually satisfied with one strong feature for the month. The Cosmopolitan, however, presents for November no less than five very unusual ones. William Dean Howells gives the first of the letters of the traveller who has been visiting this country from Altruria. We have read Mr. Howells' impressions of the Altrurian; but in this first letter we have the Altrurian's impressions of New York, with some comments upon our government and society, calculated to awaken the most conservative minds. The second feature of the Cosmopolitan is the portion of the magazine given up to color work, no less than ten superb colored illustrations being presented for the first time in magazine history, accompanying an article by Mrs. Roger A. Prior on "Changes in Women's costumes." The third feature is "American Notes," by Walter Besant, who was recently in America, and is doing the United States for the Cosmopolitan a la Dickens. The fourth feature is an article by General Badeau on "The Forms of Invitation Used by the English Nobility." The article is illustrated with a fac simile of the cards issued for an invitation to the Queen's drawing room, to dinner at the Princess of Wales', and to many leading houses of England. Finally, we have a new and very curious story by Mark Twain, called "The Esquimau Maiden's Romance." It is in his happiest vein and is illustrated by Dan Beard. The November number presents the work of many artists, among whom are: C. S. Reinhart, Otto Guillonnett, J. H. Harper, G. Hudson, Franz von Lenbach, George Wharton Edwards, F. Schuyler Matthews, Dan Beard, W. L. Sontag, jr., F. H. Attwood, C. Hirschberg, J. Habert-Dys, August Franzen, Louis J. Read, J. N. Hutchins and Hamilton Gibson.

### The Marshals of France.

At no distant day the title of marshal is destined to disappear from the French army list and to become a historical or archaeological curiosity. The death of the Duke of Magenta leaves Marshal Canrobert the sole possessor of the dignity, which, according to some, was first conferred on Alberic Clement, seigneur of Metz, who was killed at the siege of St. Jean d'Acre. There were twenty marshals in the reign of the Grand Monarque, and his successors had about the same number. The order was suppressed by the revolution and restored by the First Napoleon, who ordered the royal lilies on the baton to be removed and replaced by bees. He also directed the Latin inscription, Terror Belli, Decus Pacis to be used on the insignia of the marshal of France. The baton was only carried by those entitled to it on great occasions of state, but the eccentric Castellane, who died in 1862, always insisted on taking his short ornamental staff with him wherever he went. The third republic, imitating the first, resolved to let the title die out, and has never appointed successors to Leboeuf or Bazaine, who were the last marshals appointed under the second empire. It is curious to note that nearly all the marshals of France who have had any celebrity during the past forty or fifty years have died at advanced ages. Randon died in 1871 at the age of 76, Vaillant was 82, Baraguay d'Hilliers 83 and Leboeuf 79. Bazaine, who died in 1888, was 77, and MacMahon, who has just gone over to the majority, was nearly 86. Marshal Canrobert, the only living marshal and the last, is in his 85th year. While attending his dead comrade's funeral at the Invalides, the marshal, after having affectionately embraced the sons of MacMahon, had a conversation with the vicar of Magenta, whom he asked to tell the Italians on his return home that it was his (the marshal's) desire to see the old allies march together hand in hand, as they formerly did in Lombardy.

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## MINERS REORGANIZE.

### East Wellington Men Unite—More Shipping Troubles.

Nanaimo, Nov. 15.—A meeting of the employees of the East Wellington colliery took place yesterday, when the men re-organized under the banner of the M. and M. L. P. A. Officers were elected as follows: President, F. Harris; vice-president, T. Green; secretary, H. Scales; treasurer, T. Gamble. F. Hansen was elected delegate to represent this branch of the association at the labor conference to be held at Victoria on the 23rd. In consequence of the meeting not receiving any communication from the owners at San Francisco they adjourned without coming to any decision.

A special to the Free Press from Union last evening says: John Roy, while going out hunting, had a few giant caps in his pocket, which, by coming in contact with a log, went off and injured his side so severely that he is not expected to live.

There was no quorum at the board of trade meeting yesterday, so no action was taken in regard to the request of the Victoria board of trade re the exhibits to be sent to the midwinter fair at San Francisco.

The crew of the ship John A. Briggs have deserted in a body. The men were shipped at Port Townsend at $25 a month, and the captain is of opinion they have returned there. It is costing the owners a much larger sum, having to employ longshoremen to discharge the ballast, especially as sailors cannot be procured here except at high union wages. Of course the union are blamed for being the cause of the desertion.

## INTERCOLONIAL TRADE.

### New Zealand Eager for it—Diphtheria in Surrey.

Vancouver, Nov. 15.—The adjourned inquest on the victims of the Savary island tragedy was resumed this morning before Coroner Pittendrigh. Albert Hanson testified as to the position in which he found the bodies. Charles Thulin deposed that the last time he saw Green was when he paid him some money in Lynn's presence. The inquest was adjourned till 3 o'clock.

Ainslie Mowatt, accountant at the Hastings mill, is ill with typhoid fever, and it is believed cannot recover.

Among the passengers by the Warrimoo is C. P. Valentine, of Wellington, New Zealand, who has been on an extensive tour through Canada and the United States in the interests of the New Zealand government enquiring into the prospects of trade between America and that colony. He says the prospects are bright, and expects a large trade to be done in dairy produce. Mr. Valentine said his government would probably assist the Canadian-Australian line with a subsidy shortly.

There is a great deal of sickness amongst children at the east end school, owing, it is thought, to the insanitary condition of the neighboring buildings. The trustees will investigate.

C. J. Cullum, a bridge carpenter, while moving his tools on a hand car, met a train near Lytton on Saturday afternoon while rounding a curve. He jumped from the car, but was struck on the head by it, dying on Monday. The funeral took place to-day. Deceased lived at Mount Pleasant, and leaves a wife and four children.

The Young Men's Christian Association has secured $16,000 out of the required $20,000. They have four days left for their canvass.

Coroner Pittendrigh held an inquest at Surrey to-day on the body of a young girl who was buried without a certificate. Dr. Boggs made a post mortem examination and found that she died of diphtheria and that other members of the family are ill of the same disease. The house was this morning quarantined and the clergyman who performed the burial service was fined $5 for failing to register the death.

The assizes opened this morning, Mr. Justice Drake presiding and Deputy-Attorney-General Smith for the crown. The grand jury being sworn, retired to consider the cases. Adjournment was then taken. At 2.30 the jury returned, bringing in no bill against Henry Morton, the lacrosse player.

## PERSONAL.

Col. Elliott came down from Somenos to-day.

E. A. Quigley has returned home to Vancouver.

F. C. Cotton, M.P.P., of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

Geo. McL. Brown returned to Vancouver this morning.

John McNab, inspector of fisheries, is at the Oriental.

Wm. Holmes, of Vancouver, is registered at the Victoria.

Dr. Heimcken returned from the Mainland last night.

A. Fraser and Miss Fraser, of Duncan's are at the Oriental.

J. P. Planta and wife, of Nanaimo, registered at the Oriental to-day.

Victor Cohen, manager of the Australian Cricket Club, is at the Driard.

J. W. Coburn, of the E. & N. Railway returned from the east yesterday.

R. G. Penn and W. R. Gourly, the U. S. immigration inspectors, are at the Victoria.

Major-General R. H. Cuniffe is at the Dallas. He leaves by the Warrimoo for Australia.

E. L. Sanford, of Seattle, and H. O. Cormack, of St. Louis, are registered at the Driard.

Hon. Amor Decosmos is improving rapidly. He sat up to-day for the first time since his leg was broken.

C. S. Baxter, general ticket agent of the C.P.N. Company, and Mrs. Baxter returned from the Sound yesterday.

H. E. Morgan, of Port Townsend; Capt. F. W. Gatter, Tacoma, and Capt. J. F. Hawkins, of Seattle, are at the Oriental.

An English admiral says: "It is true the life-saving service of America is not equaled anywhere in the world." It is also true that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saves, annually, thousands of lives. Invaluable in sudden colds, throat and lung troubles.

## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

### Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

### LACROSSE.

### GENERAL ATHLETIC PARK.

The members of the Victoria Lacrosse Club met last evening and adopted the report of the committee appointed for the purpose of obtaining permanent grounds for lacrosse and general athletic sports. The ground the committee recommended is part of the Finlayson estate, between Cook and Quadra streets on Princess avenue and Pembroke street. There are ten and a half acres in the piece, which will give a field 150 yards by 322 yards, cleaned and well drained. The committee was empowered to incorporate the club. The grounds will be put in condition, a grand stand erected and a one-third mile brick-dust or cinder path constructed. The whole will cost about $3,000. Both the Douglas street and Pandora avenue cars run within a block or two of the new grounds, and the walk from the postoffice is a very short one.

### THE RING.

### PLACE AND DATE FIXED.

New York, Nov. 15.—As a result of a meeting between Wm. A. Brady, Corbett's representative, and those of Charley Mitchell, the pugilist, held at the Hoffman house to-night, it was mutually agreed that January 25th next should be the date set and Jacksonville the place for the fight. The Jacksonville club will give a purse of $20,000 as soon as the articles are signed and will pay Mitchell and Corbett $2,500 for travelling and training expenses. The $20,000 stake is now in the hands of Dave Blanchard, the Boston sporting man. Of this $10,000 will be "drawn down," $5,000 by each man. This will be done at Mitchell's request.

### WHERE PUGILISM ENDS.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 15.—"Buffalo" Costello, the prize fighter, was yesterday sentenced to the Bridewell prison in default of $100 fine imposed over two months ago for brutally beating a woman. Costello was put on bail, pending an appeal.

### WRESTLING.

### TWO ACCEPTANCES ALREADY.

Dan McLeod and Joe Acton are willing to meet Harry Dunn the Australian. The current Examiner contains the following:

To the Sporting Editor:—I accept the challenge issued by Harry Dunn to wrestle any man in America, as published in yesterday's Examiner. As Mr. Dunn claims to wrestle any and all styles, I would suggest a match at catch-as-catch-can, or, failing to arrange a match in that style, I will meet Mr. Dunn under the following conditions; One fall catch-as-catch-can, one fall Graeco-Roman, he to have choice of two bouts, and the party winning their respective bouts in the shortest spaces of time to have choice of fifth style. Match to be for $500 a side upwards, and to be decided either in San Francisco or Victoria, as Mr. Dunn may select. I will allow Mr. Dunn $50 as travelling expenses, the match to take place in this city, or will accept the same amount and wrestle in Victoria. If wrestled in Victoria, I stipulate that the match must not take place earlier than December 20, as I am matched against Vincent White on Nov. 28.

D. S. MACLEOD,
Olympic Club.

San Francisco, Nov. 10, 1893.

To the Sporting Editor:—Seeing Mr. Dunn's challenge in the San Francisco Examiner, I wish to state that I will wrestle Mr. Dunn at three styles, providing he will agree that Graeco-Roman be the odd style, as I only know of two styles myself, as they are catch-as-catch-can and the above-named. If this meets Mr. Dunn's approval, I will be ready at any time in a month's notice to wrestle him for $500 or $1000 a side. I will take $50 expenses and wrestle in Victoria.

JOE ACTON,
601 Delores street.

San Francisco, Nov. 10, 1893.

### THE TURF.

### BROADMEAD'S SHOWING.

Broadmead was in the five furlong race at San Francisco but did not get a place. He had Charm and Fidelia against him, but if he had kept the pace he started with he would have won. There was a tip out on him, and while he was not a favorite a good deal of money was on him at about 1 to 6. He was first at the quarter but came in last in a field of 10 at the stretch and finish.

## LAW INTELILGENCE.

Ward vs. Abbott (Horsefly Hydraulic Mining Co., Ltd.—Application of plaintiff for an order that the defendant furnish particulars of the placer claim which they allege in their counter claim that they lawfully hold and occupy. Ordered that the particulars be furnished within six days.

Pamphlet vs. Adams.—Application of plaintiff for leave to amend the statement of claim by adding: (1) that the defendant has unlawfully driven piles and constructed a wharf in front of the plaintiff's residence in Rock Bay and so obstructed his right of access to the water front; (2) Adams has operated his sawmill in a negligent manner so as to cause great and needless annoyance to the plaintiff and depreciate the value of his property. Order made, plaintiff to pay all costs of amendments.

Matheson vs. Pollock et al. Application for leave to appeal from order and judgment of Mr. Justice Walkem. Heard before Walkem, J.

Foot and Carter vs. Nichols & Mason.—Application of defendants for a stay of proceeding on the ground that the plaintiffs are merely nominal plaintiffs acting for third parties and that they are insolvent. Adjourned until to-morrow.

## SPANISH AMERICA.

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 15.—The bombardment of Fort Villegagnon continues daily. There is also continuous fighting. President Peixoto ordered a launch stationed outside the entrance to the Rio harbor to closely watch all the arriving steamers. The British steamer Strabo was stopped and a passenger removed from her. It is reported he was a passenger from Pernambuco. The steamer was kept outside for 15 hours, until conveyed into the harbor by the British gunboat Beagle. The government is trying to stop all communication with the insurgents by the provinces.

Montevideo, Nov. 15.—Word has been received from Rio de Janeiro that the revolutionists intend to strike a decisive blow to-day. Mello's fleet in the harbor and the rebels' friends in the city have combined, it is believed, to make a concerted attack on Peixoto's forts. The fate of the insurgents depends on this stroke, which it is now felt should be delivered before the arrival of Peixoto's powerful fleet, or not at all.

Managua, Nicaragua, Nov. 15.—The Nicaraguan authorities put the New York Herald correspondent in prison the other day for obtaining an interview with the Honduran agent here about the firing on the stars and stripe in the port of Amapala recently. The American consul here interfered, however, and speedily obtained his release. The Honduran secret service agent here was exiled on Monday.

City of Mexico, Nov. 15.—It is reported here that a new extradition treaty is likely to be negotiated with the United States. It will cover offences not included in the present treaty. Mexico does not wish to become an asylum for Americans of the criminal class.

## MR. LAURIER'S RELIGION.

To the Editor: Will you kindly inform me whether Hon. W. Laurier is a Catholic or a Protestant and thus amicably settle a discussion which has ensued between myself and several acquaintances?

A. D. McKENZIE.

(Mr. Laurier is a Catholic.—Editor Times.)

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Per City of Kingston from the Sound—C McLean, Mrs Pudicomb and daughter, Mrs W H Wilson, H Wilson, C Stevenson, J F Winslow, R Sullivan, J Washburne, E W Tanner, S O Frazier, Miss Anderson, W Fend, J House, E Pollexfen, H Yenger, F W Gatter, J A Anderson, W H Dwyer, C S Baxter, and wife, F Merreto, J Niblock, F W Strong, D H Ludwig, W D Wolford, Jas Darkin, R Merwick, M Murphy, E Christie, A Percilon, H Williams, Jos Henderson, E A Smith, D B Benton, A Kelley, D Neuson, John Blockard, James Blockard, J McCormick, D R McKinley, H Williams, E S Sanford, J Magnus, P A Peterson, Wm Storey, Joseph Anderson, H E Morgan, John Collins, P Weir, T M Handy, Miss Handy, Miss E Handy, Wm Lambert, Jas Harper, W Emmerson, R A Greenwood, Jos Denny, M F Keller, J Fenk, Mrs Lefield, E Rierson, P Wald, B Dayton, E Lewis, M Miller.

## CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Premier from Vancouver—T Earle, W Marchant, H B Co, J Robertson, C Strouss, Agent C P R, E Hume, J Piercy & Co, J H Todd, Col In Rev, L Dickenson, E Wall & Co, R P Rithet, W S Hampson, Johns Bros, Williams D Co, G C Shaw & Co, Simon Leiser, D H Ross, H Saunders, J A T Caton, P J Partim, Singer Man Co, J Fullerton, P McQuade, Ames Holden Co, B C Paper Man Co, Mark Luther & Co, E B Marvin, Palmer Calder & Co, W J Jeffree, Davidson Bros, S Siporn, Geo Powell, J W Coburn, Jas Crawford, A Nicholl, Clements & Co, J W Mellor, James Mitchell, Kalil Nasr, Nicholles & R, Ramsey Bros, R H Hall, Watson & Geiger, W Duncan, W H Bullen, Victoria Plumbing Co, Dominion Express Co.

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